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PENNSYLVANIA'S GREAT PLACE IS MOST GLOWINGLY DESCRIBED.

Every Citizen Should Read the Oration of Former Attorney General Hensel on "Pennsylvania Day."

TODAY CELEBRATED AT SEATTLE

Pennsylvania's History Is As Dignified, Entertaining and Instructive as Any Other Chapter in Our Country's Famous Annals.

Special to The Courier.

SEATTLE, Washington, Aug. 16.—Today is "Pennsylvania Day" at the great Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition. Although the State is not formally represented by any building or commission on the ground, the Pennsylvania Association in Washington—numbering a membership of several thousand and representing nearly 20,000 natives of the Keystone State resident in Washington—organized a movement for a State Day and brought it to a successful consummation.

W. U. Hensel, of Lancaster, Pa., formerly Attorney General of Pennsylvania, made the address. Mr Hensel's subject was "Historic Pennsylvania." He deplored the fact that its story had not yet been told in the History of American Commonwealths, and that its people were not fully aroused to a self-consciousness of their State's historical place. For a long time they had so far permitted their history to be defined by aliens and strangers that they became regardless of the real significance which attaches to it, first, as an original, independent and singular colony, then as a sovereign part of the federation, and now as a dominant influence in the moral and material development of the American nation. It was a too common weakness "to wish the cradle in which we were rocked had been of the large consignment that came over in the ever-extending cargo of the 'Mayflower;' that somewhere on our garret there was a Priscilla spinning wheel or a Standish chair; that somehow we could show claim to a faint trace of the blood of the 'First Families of Virginia'—or even might boast the pedigree of the Creoles of Louisiana."

Nevertheless, the speaker affirmed, the story of Pennsylvania, of its settlement and citizenship, the forces which founded it, the races which peopled it, the causes which shaped its colonial career, the conflicts which defined its geographical boundaries, the resources which invited and engaged its material development, the different strains of blood which contested for its control, the religious influences which permeated its growth and of the distinguished men who in one epoch or another of its history (and in all spheres of human achievement) have irradiated its annals, is as dignified and edifying, as entertaining and instructive, as any other chapter in our country's history.

Mr. Hensel referred to the many vivid aspects of Pennsylvania's history, such as the aboriginal occupation of its vast domain, the successive Old World dominions which in turn made and abandoned settlement here; the "Holy Experiment" of William Penn, the picturesque incidents, the heroic stories and the blood-stained traditions which marked the gradual conquest of the Indian, the overthrow of the French, the revolt against British control and the battle against Yankee aggression; the splendid story of the unlocking and unfolding of great natural resources, the felling of forests, the mining of coal, the drilling for oil, the tillage of fields, the erection of factories and the building of canals, railroads and cities. Besides all these, the study of its history comprises an inquiry into the ecclesiastical and political foundations of a Commonwealth, where, for a century before the tocsin of Revolution had sounded, civil and religious liberty were developing and so shaping the fortunes of a soverign State that no chance of war could long retard, or even greatly promote their successful assertion on a grand scale in a new continent; where—under guarantees of freedom of conscience and equality of opportunity—alien races and opposing religions, emancipated from the domination of crown and bishop, were destined to work out problems that had either baffled or had been stifledt by Old World conditions; where barbarous races, facing aggressive civilization, doomed to recession and extermination, were yet to be treated with kindness, consideration, justice and liberality; where midway between sections representing conflicting theories of government, there was to be reared a state, which, in times of peace, should stand at once for the rights of property and the rights of man, for the protection of vested interests and the inalienable assertion of individuality; that was to become, in times of war, the theatre of decisive conflicts and the bulwark of national integrity, and which, both in

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HORSE SCARED.

By Automobile Runs Away and Mrs. Lowe and Family Injured.

Policeman John A. Lowe went to Herminie this morning where he will spend his vacation. Mrs. Lowe and the family are now there and met with an accident which came dangerously near being fatal. The family was out driving when the horse scared at an automobile and ran away, throwing all the occupants of the carriage out.

None of them were seriously injured, but all were badly bruised and cut in the accident.

WANT GOSPEL SAYS MISSIONARY

African Missionary Delivers Talk at Free Methodist Camp Meeting Service.

The Free Methodists kept things going in Hoggs orchard on the West Side yesterday and their services were attended by large gatherings. In the morning, J. P. Foy, of Indiana, Pa., talked on "Have Faith in God." The audience at this service was quite small, numbering about 200.

The address of the day was made by J. P. Brodhead, who talked on "Africa." Three questions were dealt with in the address: "Do they want the Gospel; Are they receptive; Are they thankful?" Each one of these was answered in the affirmative by the missionary who has spent nine years in Africa.

During the service $100 was collect- the evening J. H. Whiteman of Blairs- $70 for camp meeting services. In the evening J. H. Whiteman of Blairsville, Pa., talked on "Almost a Christian." The crowd was very large filling the religious tent and extending out over the orchard. Rev. Brodhead will again deliver addresses tonight, having consented to stay over Sunday.

The camp will remain over next Sunday and during this week some rousing meetings are expected. Rev. J. B. Eastman of Pittsburg is expected to arrive today. He is presiding elder of the district and will speak frequently during the meetings.

EUROPE DISAPPOINTS AMERICAN TRAVELERS

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Do Not Fancy the Countries on the Other Side of Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bishop and Mr and Mrs. E. S. Hartman of Cleveland, O., arrived in Connellsville this morning after a three months' trip through Europe. Mr. and Mrs. Bishop are well known in Connellsville having resided here and having many relatives in this section.

The party visited Germany, Austria, Greece, passed through Hungary, Italy, Switzerland, Belgium, France, Holland and England. The trip through England was made in coaches, while three weeks were spent in London.

Mr. Bishop is not over enthusiastic about Europe and prefers America several times over to any spot that the party visited. Mrs. Bishop prefers New York to London for shopping and the general concensus of opinion of the party that the European stores, offices and newspapers are away behind those of America. Paris was particularly disappointing to the party.

After a week spent here, Mr. Bishop will go fishing down in the Shenandoah Valley with his cousin, W. A. Bishop.

NO WORK; KILLS WIFE AND SELF; SHOOTS SON

Chicago Has Horrible Crime in That Committeed By Despondent German.

United Press Telegram.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 16.—Rendered insane by worry over lack of employment Gustav Herring, aged 51, early today murdered his wife, fatally wounded his son and then blew out his own brains after seeking to murder his two daughters. Herring has not had steady employment in four years.

The family expected the tragedy for months as he had threatened them of late.

When the daughters heard the shots that killed the mother and fatally injured the brother, they locked themselves in a room.

MAY BE MURDER.

Nick Yochis Is Stabbed With a Penknife in Quarrel.

UNIONTOWN, Aug. 16.—As the result of a quarrel over a board bill in which pocket knives were used as weapons, Nick Yochis, aged 25, will die, and George Bolanch, aged 3, was dangerously wounded. Thomas Kucinick and John Sokum are fugitives from justice, charged with the cutting. All the men are Horwats. Bolanch has a cut a foot long in the abdomen, and the intestines were perforated in eight places, making recovery practically impossible.

Kucinick, who is employed on the Fayette County Gas line, lives at Frogpond and conducts a boarding house. Nick Yochis boarded with him until recently, when he went to the Bolanch home at Continental No. 1, where the fight occurred at 9 o'clock Saturday night. Kucinick went to the Bolanch home and met Yochis, of whom he demanded settlement for a board bill. Yochis and Kucinick got into an argument which ended in the latter whipping out his knife and slashing Yochis. Then Bolanch interfered and John Sokom, who had gone to the house with Kucinick, took the latter's part. Bolanch was stabbed several times in the breast and abdomen.

MONEY COVERED BOOT IS STOLEN.

Smashed Plate Glass Window and Carried It Away.

OTHER PRIZES ARE TAKEN

The Boot Was Worth in the Neighborhood of $25—Committee Announces That Stolen Prizes Will Be Duplicated.

A thief in the night, with a keen eye for business, did not overlook a good bet when the Knights of Malta displayed their prizes in the outside show window of the Wright-Metzler Company. The case included a boot which was covered with various coins of the realm, the object being to award a prize to the one coming nearest to guessing the amount on the imitation foot.

Sometime Saturday night or early Sunday morning the midnight marauder quietly smashed the side glass, extracted the foot and the money, and helped himself to various other prizes displayed on the lower shelf. Now those who expect to attend the outing hope the robber will be kind enough to count the money carefully and tip them off in order that they may be able to guess the problem correctly.

The committee having the prizes in charge announced this morning that the missing articles will be duplicated. The boot was worth in the neighborhood of $25 for the coins secured to it were all legal tender.

The robbery was reported to the police but there is little hope that the thief will be apprehended. The boot had attracted considerable attention. There were all sorts of coins on it, from Lincoln pennies to five dollar gold pieces. As the Maltas expect a record breaking crowd at the picnic they are not going to let a little thing like the theft of prizes to balk them.

MRS. JAMES BEATTY CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Her Sunday School Class of the East Liberty Church of God Surprise Her.

DICKERSON RUN, Pa., Aug. 16.—Mrs. James Beatty celebrated her thirty-third birthday anniversary by giving a supper to the Intermediate class of the East Liberty Church of God Sunday School. This class is composed of young ladies from the age of 12 to 16 years and has a membership of 31. Mrs. Beatty has been the regular teacher of this class for a number of years and is very proud of her class and her scholars are very devoted to her and the work.

At 3 30 Saturday afternoon the class took possession of the Beatty homestead and ruled as they pleased until 8 P. M. The afternoon and evening was spent in playing various games and laying plans for the future benefit of the class and school. Mrs Beaty was the happy recipient of many useful and beautiful presents. At 5.30 the young ladies were called to the dining room and surrounded the table spread with the many good things that were in season. At 8 P. M the ladies left for their different homes wishing Mrs. Beatty many happy birthdays and looking forward to the time when they may meet together again.

THE RAINS WORTH MANY DOLLARS.

A Threatening Drouth Becoming Very Serious Is Broken Nicely.

THE FARMERS ARE DELIGHTED

Coke Operators Bid Farewell to Uneasiness Over Impending Shutdowns For Lack of Water—Cloudburst at West Newton.

A rainfall valued in this section in the thousands of dollars started on Saturday night, continued the night through almost without interruption and until late yesterday forenoon. In the afternoon there was more rain and again this morning a shower made its appearance.

This rain coming after about a month's dry weather, apparently began in Chicago, which telegrams on Saturday morning said was deluged and damaged by its fury. From telegraphic advices the rain seemed to take its course eastward, and from Pittsburg moved up to here and then eastward, where trains on the B. & O were delayed on Saturday night and Sunday morning by the downpour.

In Connellsville the rain was very heavy and but did not rise over the curbs, nor did it in Scottdale where three inches of water fell from Saturday evening until Sunday afternoon. The rise in the Yough river was much more appreciable than was anticipated on account of the low state of the river, where the stones and sand were much in evidence. C. W. Brooks, the official river register reader, said today that the gauge stood at .63 Saturday and at the next regular reading showed 2.73, a gain of 2 feet and 10-100. The stones in the river are covered over today. The rain was steady, and soaked into the earth.

The heavy rain brought hard luck for the people who desired to take trips yesterday morning to the mountains and other pleasure spots, and there was a hurried hunting of umbrellas and raincoats. There was a large crowd at all the parks yesterday in spite of the rain, the victims in nearly every case, taking the rain philosophically recognizing its vast value to the community, which was suffering badly for the needed moisture.

Fields and lawns were burning up, dust was a menace to comfort and health, water supplies were running low and the people feared that another long continued drouth like that of last year which started about this time was beginning.

The coke operators were among those particularly glad, as the rain will insure continued operations, which were being threatened with the same plight as last year. The streams were dried up and the reservoirs at their lowest stage.

A serious shortage of milk existed on account of the lack of pasturage and plenty of water for the cows, while the corn crop was held back on account of the lack of rain. The last general rainfall was July 12, when nearly a half of inch fell. In the month of July the deficiency amounted to over three inches.

West Newton and a number of the Monongahela and Youghiogheny river towns of that section were deluged by a cloudburst, causing much damage and delaying traffic considerably on the B. & O railroad.

Gets a Watch.

Employes of the West Penn Railways Company Saturday night presented Charles E Fife, superintendent, at Uniontown with a gold watch.

It's a Girl.

The Stork paid a visit to the home of Henry P Snyder last evening and left a 10-pound baby girl.

Generally Fair.

Generally fair tonight, Tuesday slight change in temperature.

STORM AT WEST NEWTON.

Rainfall of Three Inches Floods the Town.

WEST NEWTON, Pa., Aug. 16.—Three inches of rain fell in one hour flooding streets and doing considerable damage to the plant of the United States Radiator Company and the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. At the radiator works a foot of water covers the foundry room, in which molds in preparation have been destroyed. A landslide on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad two miles west of here tied up traffic for several hours. Other landslides between here and Pittsburg are reported.

Starting at 6 o'clock there was a continuous downpour until 7 o'clock. There was no lightning. Between 7 and 9 o'clock another inch of water had fallen, making a total of three inches, with rain still falling. The ground has become so parched that farmers feared for the corn crop. Tonight's rain caused much rejoicing.

Used a Saw.

In a free for all fight at Leisenring No 2 Saturday night, John Cudoc wounded Mike Karlsco on the left forearm with a hand saw when the latter threatened to kill him with a large stone he carried in his hand. The men were arrested.

CONSTABLE AND SQUIRE DISCHARGED.

Briscoe and Jeffries Are Released After a Hearing Today.

WOULD NOT PRODUCE DOCKET

Found That the Magistrate Did Not Take $10 Unlawfully and That the Constable Did Not Take 30 Pairs of Shoes.

UNIONTOWN, Aug. 16.—Squire William Jeffries and Constable William Briscoe both of Menallen township were given hearings before Justices Boyle and Bierer this morning and were discharged on all the counts of conspiracy and larceny. Squire Jeffries' case was heard only before Squire Bierer. He and Briscoe were charged with conspiracy for fining Ed. Taylor $10 on the night of December 9th, for disorderly conduct.

Taylor says there was no warrant or information, and that he and another man were charged $10, while a third, who had no money, was permitted to go free.

Jeffries and Briscoe declared the men admitted having been disorderly and Squire Bierer said if such was the case, $10 was reasonable for a fine and costs. Squire Jeffries refused to present his docket, which had been subpoenaed, in spite of the Commonwealth's insistence that he offer the book in evidence.

Before Squire Boyle, Constable Briscoe was charged with the larceny of 30 pair of shoes from Harry Colowitz of Thompson No 2. Briscoe claimed that he took the shoes on an execution but the Commonwealth contended if this was the case he would not have returned them, which he had done. The men were discharged on all the counts.

MAN MEETS DEATH IN RAILROAD CUT

Samuel Christner Caught By a Train on the Baltimore & Ohio Near Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE, Aug. 16.—Samuel Chrisner, aged about 45 years, was run over by a train in the deep cut just west of this place and was horribly mangled. The remains were picked up and brought to Reich's morgue where they were prepared for burial.

Christner, who for some time had been living apart from his family and was drinking heavily. It is known that he was intoxicated shortly before the accident occurred, and with several companions had been drinking all day. Deceased is survived by his wife and several children and four brothers, all of whom reside near town.

GIRL IS MISSING.

Monongahela Police Think She May Have Been Abducted.

MONONGAHELA, Aug. 16.—Special.)—The police are searching for Anna Chambers, foster daughter of John Chambers of Aviaton, who has been missing since Saturday. She was traced to the river bridge but, when dragged her body was not found in the water.

It is believed that she has been abducted. The police ascertained that a strange man had been in town the past week, and accosted the girl at different times.

STABBED HUSBAND OF PRETTY GIRL HE ONCE HAD WRONGED.

John Carnegie, Foreigner, Haunts Home of John Uitsey, and Cutting Affray Results.

GUSHER IN INDIANA COUNTY.

Big Producer Is Struck by Pittsburger at Patton.

INDIANA, Pa., Aug. 16.—There is excitement in Eastern Indiana county over a big oil well struck by James J Harlem of Pittsburg on the F B Williams farm at Patton. It is producing 225 barrels of oil a day. The gusher was struck at 4,475 fee depth. Williams owns 667 acres of land in the vicinity of the strike.

The district is in the Carroltown belt, where a big oil strike was made a year ago. Preparations are being made to sink other wells.

BIDS ARE INVITED FOR A NEW RAILROAD

Extension of P. S. & N. Line to Allegheny River From Brookville to Be Started.

Bids have been invited for the construction of the Brookville & Mahoning railroad from its present southern terminus at Knoxdale, Pa., near Brookville, to Mahoning, on the Allegheny river. It is planned to have the work started by September 15. This means another extension of the Pittsburg, Shawmut & Northern railroad, which has been extending its lines toward Pittsburg for the last three years. Officials of the company admit that eventually the road will enter Pittsburg proper, although the exact location of the Pittsburg extension has not been selected.

The survey, which has just been adopted, will insure a short line from the county seat of Jefferson to the Allegheny river. Leaving Knoxdale, the survey embraces six tunnels and four aqueducts, with stations at Sprangle Mills, Dora, Petersburg, Putneyville, Charleston and Mahoning. The largest tunnel on the new division will be from a point between Sprankle Mills and Worthville to a point on the south side of the ridge, near Dora. It will be 1,929 feet long. Other heavy tunnel work will be at Markham and just south of Knoxdale. The new division will traverse a section that is underlaid with a valuable vein of coal, and will open up one of the best agricultural sections of Jefferson and Armstrong counties.

The Brookville & Mahoning will be leased to the Pittsburg, Shawmut & Northern, thus giving the latter important connection with the Erie railroad at Hornellsville and Olean and other trunk lines in New York State and Pennsylvania.

While some work will be done immediately along the west side of the Allegheny river and some grading will be commenced in a few days from the Kiskiminetas up the Allegheny, no contracts will be awarded for the present at that point, as the officials are anxious to rush construction on the east side of the river.

WALSH ADMITTED THAT HE WAS FAKING

Told a Story of Robbery, He Says, to Keep From Being Robbed.

Thomas Walsh of Tarr was the star prisoner in police court Sunday morning when he made himself conspicuous by accusing Officer R. E. Stillwagon of having removed $3 from his clothes. Walsh told this story to one of the other prisoners behind the bars and it resulted in a charge of drunkenness being lodged against him after he applied for a night's lodging.

To Burgess Evans Walsh said he merely told the prisoners that the officer took his money in order that there might be no temptation for any of them to make a "touch" during his incarceration. He was discharged.

Two girls, one from Vanderbilt and the other from Charleroi, were arrested for disorderly conduct. They blocked the waiting room at the West Penn building. After being warned they were discharged.

Several drunks were given the usual sentence. Two men arrested for disorderly conduct at a dance in the Slavish hall left forfeits.

A pair of drunks was disposed of by Burgess Evans at this morning's session of police court.

Making Good Time.

The McCrum-Howell radiator works of Uniontown is rushed with orders and is working night and day.

Heavy Rain at Uniontown.

UNIONTOWN, Aug. 16.—The rainfall here during the past 48 hours amounted to 2.73 inches.

VICTIM MAY NOT RECOVER

Dr. C. W. Utts Called to Monarch and Orders Removal of Injured Man to the Hospital—Officers in Search of Assailant.

Stabbing the husband of the girl he once wronged, John Carnegie, a foreigner of Monarch works, in Dunbar township, is a fugitive from justice and Constable William Roland is in swift pursuit, following the trail towards Mt Braddock, in which direction the assailant is said to have taken.

John Uitsey, also a foreigner, was the victim of Carnegie's knife, and his condition is so critical that Dr C. W. Utts ordered his immediate removal to the Cottage State hospital at this place. Carnegie had but recently got out of prison where he spent a term for wronging the girl who is now the wife of the man he stabbed.

According to the disjointed account Uitsey was able to give Squire George B Graham of Dunbar township, before whom information against Carnegie was made, the fugitive came to Uitsey's house this morning and attempted to talk to Mrs. Uitsey. The husband objected to his attentions towards the pretty bride and a quarrel ensued. Without warning Carnegie whipped out a knife and slashed at Uitsey, inflicting wounds which may prove fatal.

About a year ago Carnegie was arrested on a serious charge preferred by Lena Kost, a pretty foreign girl then not yet 16 years old. Squire Graham committed him to jail and he was sentenced to serve a term of nine months in the county jail.

His term expired a short time ago and Carnegie immediately returned to his old haunts about Monarch. His eyes were ever for pretty Lena, who, during Carnegie's confinement in jail, had been married to Uitsey. Unable to resist the lure of the pretty eyes, although his attentions were not sought by the wife of Uitsey, Carnegie this morning appeared at the house and attempted to see the girl. Her husband resented the intrusion and the cutting resulted.

FIRE BUG CAUSED BAD BLAZE ON LUCANIA

Detectives Say Four Fires Were Blazing in the Ship at Same Time. Employe Suspected.

United Press Telegram.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 16.—After investigation today detectives are convinced the steamship Lucania was fired by an incendiary. It was found there were four separate blazes aboard the ship at intervals of half an hour. A minor employe of the ship who was discharged when it docked here is being sought by the police. They say they have evidence he was aboard a short time before the fires were discovered.

The Cunard line officials deny the story of separate blazes but detectives say they have information from the crew of the Lucania. The big boat will be placed in the dry dock as soon as possible and repaired.

FIRST BLOW STRUCK IN MIMIC WARFARE

Light Skirmish Opens What May Develop Into An Engagement Before Long.

United Press Telegram.

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 16.—The first skirmish between the "Red" and "Blue" armies occurred today at Warham. It is expected before night an engagement will be fought as it is believed Gen Bliss is attempting a flank movement on the right of his line. Gen Pew, of the defense, has detached the troops in advance.

The cavalry left New Bedford on transports and are expected to attempt to land at Plymouth to effect a junction with the main body and march on Boston along the coast line. Gen Pew appears to be in a good position with a flying wedge down the Staunton river.

Suit For Criminal Libel.

UNIONTOWN, Aug. 16.—Elizabeth Rodnar of Leisenring No 1, through Attorneys May & Youmkin, has entered suit for criminal libel against Mike Mucca. The plaintiff says Mike said derogatory things about her and defamed her fair name in the community.

THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING DAY IS CELEBRATED AT SCOTTDALE.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Graft's Half Century of Happy Married Life Marked by Big Gathering.

MR. GRAFT IS RURAL CARRIER

He and His Estimable Wife Both Over 70, Examples of Rugged Characteristics of Passing Generation—Affair Was Annual Reunion.

SCOTTDALE Aug 16—Surrounded by their children and grandchildren and a large concourse of friends and neighbors in the home that they have lived in for 36 years, a mile west of town Mr. and Mrs. George L. Graft celebrated their golden wedding anniversary marking half a century of married life on Saturday. The day was ideal and like that beautiful day when the late John Strickler, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church married them, at what has grown in the years to the active town of Scottdale, and from which place in a high seated buggy the bridal couple drove away on a wedding journey to Sewickley upon their return entering upon their housekeeping days at Kelster's mill.

Of those that were present on that wedding day there still remain Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Stauffer of Scottdale, and Mrs. Daniel Ridenour, both of whom were in the party of guests that tendered their congratulations and good wishes for continued life on Saturday.

The bride of half a century was Rebecca a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shank pioneer residents of Fayette county, and the groom a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Graft also pioneers of this community. Both bride and groom are in good health, have passed their three score years and ten, and the groom of that day is still active in life's works so active that he covers the long route of the Scottdale free delivery. Probably one of the oldest of the rural delivery men he is also one of the men with the most noted war records in the section having sustained three severe wounds in battles for the Union. Mr. Graft served in Company I 62nd Regiment First Division First Brigade Fifth Army Corps and also in Company I, 15th Regiment of the same Brigade. He fought in many battles including the Wilderness Spottsylvania North Anna river Cold Harbor Petersburg Weldon Railroad Peebles Farm, and Hatcher's Run. He was wounded in the knee at Spottsylvania, and in the arm and the left temple where the latter's deep scar is plainly visible at the second Hatcher's Run. All his life he has been a man of activity, an agent in many trades, a respected neighbor, and one of the leading men in the quiet upbuilding of the community. To the union of marriage of George Graft and Rebecca Shank there were seven children born five of whom survive Charles L. Emile Jacob L. Minnie and William A. Graft. There are 17 grandchildren living.

A notable dinner, in which the [illegible] of previous years was put in the back ground it is asserted was a feature of the day. Among those who were present were:

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Graft and children [illegible] Russell [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Graft [illegible] dren Lenore, Loran and Helen, William A. [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Marsh and [illegible] Ritchie and [illegible] Helen and Walter [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Stauffer [illegible] A. O. Evans [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. J. R. [illegible] [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Martin [illegible] Mrs. Eva Miller [illegible] John Siegfried and children [illegible] and children [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. John [illegible] Rev. Ethel and William Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Joseph and Benjamin [illegible] Mrs. R. [illegible] Daniel Ridenour, Jacob [illegible] Metzgar Mr. and Mrs. Norman Graft and children Ralph [illegible] Miss Gertrude Palmer [illegible] Harold [illegible] Mrs. Robert Graft and [illegible] [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] and children [illegible] Misses Lillie [illegible] Sarah and John.

LOW RATE NIAGARA FALLS

Pittsburg & Lake Erie Railroad August 21st

Round trip $5.75. Tickets good on all trains. Pullman accommodations should be reserved in advance. Ask the ticket agent.

Wants for rent for sale etc, cost only one cent a word.

OUR JOE FLITS

Is Back In Baltimore Once More, But Not For Long.

It was back, back, back to Baltimore for our Joe Gobright Saturday night. Willie left the office keys behind and hied himself back to old haunts, his first visit for several years. All Saturday afternoon Joe hummed the tune that made him famous as a minstrel and was still singing the sweet refrain as the train pulled out for its long climb over the mountains.

Goby expects to spend about three days in Baltimore after which he will finish out the week by trying the simple life in camp about Rogers Mills, up the Indian Creek valley.

BOOSTERS' DAY COMES TOMORROW

Great Outpouring of Sports Expected at M & S Park Tomorrow Afternoon.

Tomorrow will be Boosters Day at the park here, with Uniontown and Connellsville as the opposing teams. Because of the increased price of the tickets a program of field day sports has been arranged.

Tomorrow is the one day in the year when the fans are called upon to give financial support to the team which always faces a big deficit at the end of every season. The tickets are sold for a dollar each and as this price is not exorbitant every fan has an opportunity to show his appreciation by coming to the front.

The attendance has been a disappointment this year. It was always said that if Connellsville had a team in first or second place it would draw good. The team has been in the running ever since the season opened has had but one trip away from home that it got worse than an even break but the attendance fell off just the same. During the last week of games at home when the team was either in first place or a close second the receipts fell below the guarantee every day save one.

A good program has been arranged for tomorrow's attraction. The field sports will begin at 2 o'clock and the game at the usual time. There will be keen rivalry between the members of the two teams in the various events.

SCHOOL DAYS ARE ALMOST HERE

Monday, September 6 the Date for the Youngsters to Hearken to School Bell

Vacation days are rapidly nearing their end and in two weeks the school bells will ring forth their summons to speed the lagging footsteps to the various schools. On Monday September [illegible] the first term of the Greater Connellsville schools will be inaugurated with a Borough Superintendent at the head of the organization.

This morning all the janitors went to work to get the buildings in ship shape order for the term to open. John McNamara who has been in charge of all the buildings during vacation turned over the keys to the various janitors today.

Numerous repairs have been made to all the buildings and they will be found in better shape than ever before. Mr. McNamara has charge of the High School and Fourth Ward building. M. J. Henle the Second Ward. C. P. Mitchell the Third Ward and Christ Colvin the South Side and Jesse Herbert the West Side.

The Name.

The name Citizens National Bank signifies strength and an account with this reliable banking institution is a guarantee of safety for funds. Your account is cordially invited. Citizens National Bank Connellsville, Pa. Capital $100,000.00. Surplus and profits $100,000.00.

AERIAL NAVIGATION

The Time May Come When Flying Machines Will Be in Common Use

The great strides that have been made in aerial navigation during the last few years, lead such enthusiasts as the Wright brothers to predict that the time will come when flying machines will largely supersede present modes of transportation. This may be true but money will be just as necessary to a comfortable existence whether we fly through the air or continue to walk or ride on the solid earth. The way to make certain of having money is to save it and Savings Accounts may be opened with The First National Bank of Connellsville with $1. Four per cent interest.

SOCIAL.

"Irish Day" on Thursday

"Irish Day" at Shady Grove park on Thursday August 19 promises to be an event of extraordinary importance and it is believed that the largest crowd of the season will assemble there on that day. The Ancient Order of Hibernians have laid out a program that is attractive enough to make everyone go to the park and spend the day with them. All the old Irish games of physical endurance muscle brawn and please will be pulled off with ball games dancing and the like. The old fashioned round dance will be one of the features of the day while the committee which held a meeting yesterday planned many other amusements. The committee [illegible] to make the outing an old fashioned picnic in every way. The serving of the refreshments and everything connected with the outing will be on the old style picnic plan and it is expected that it will be one of the greatest big outings of the year.

Celebrated Wedding Anniversary

In commemoration of their tenth wedding anniversary Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Goldsmith were host and hostess at a beautifully appointed [illegible] o'clock dinner yesterday afternoon at their home on East Green street. Covers were laid for fourteen guests including only the near relatives and a few intimate friends. The affair was marked by the pretty decorations, a color scheme of pink and white being handsomely carried out. Bouquets of asters and hydrangeas formed the attractive table decorations while the favors were small candle sticks. The out of town guests present were Dr. and Mrs. Milton Goldsmith and son of Pittsburg and Misses Martha and Anna Tumpson of New York.

Maltese Picnic

Preparations are going on at a great rate for the Knights of Malta picnic at Kenwood park to be given in August [illegible]. The committees have been hard at work on the plans for the big outing, which is usually taken advantage of by thousands. The many amusements afforded by Kenwood park are well known to all Western Pennsylvanians and whenever there is an event scheduled there they never fail to take advantage of it. Excellent train service has been provided and those who take advantage of the picnic are assured [illegible].

Farmers Outing.

[illegible] of the Union Farmers Club of Fayette County to be held Saturday at Shady Grove park. Farmers and their families from all over the county will be present and a most enjoyable day is anticipated. All kinds of amusements have been planned by the committee in charge.

Off for Convention

Mrs. M. [illegible] Mrs. D. [illegible] [illegible] this morning for Wilkes-Barre to attend the annual State [illegible] of the [illegible] [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] [illegible] expect to return home [illegible].

Thimble Club Entertained

The [illegible] Thimble Club was pleasantly entertained Saturday afternoon by Mrs. [illegible] at her home on [illegible] avenue. The afternoon was spent in sewing [illegible] a dainty luncheon was served.

Off for Camp

Mrs. W. [illegible] Miss Laura [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. Charles [illegible] Miss [illegible] composed a party [illegible] this morning for a [illegible] weeks outing at Rogers Mills.

PERSONAL

Miss Ida O'Donovan returned home last evening from a week's stay at the Ohiopyle House at Ohiopyle.

Mrs. Ira [illegible] is the guest of relatives at Normalville.

Mr. and Mrs. David [illegible] of Lower [illegible] parents Mr. and Mrs. S. [illegible] of [illegible] West Side yesterday.

[illegible] Campbell is the guest [illegible] at Ohiopyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Norris and daughters Misses Helen and Ruth were guests at Ohiopyle over Sunday.

Mrs. [illegible] and [illegible] Miss [illegible] of [illegible]wood are visiting relatives in West Virginia.

Miss Myrtle McDiffitt of the West Side went to Morgantown W. Va. this morning to visit her sister Mrs. John [illegible].

Miss Margaret Kagen stenographer for the West Penn Railways Company left last night for Chicago where she will spend her vacation with her sister Mrs. Harry Graham.

Miss Anna McDiffitt of the West Side returned home today from a visit with her sister Mrs. John Boyles of Morgantown W. Va.

Miss [illegible] Patrick of Irwin, is the guest of Miss Florence Harry.

Miss J. [illegible] Cresslind and Miss Sara McDiffitt stenographer for Attorneys Sterling, Higbee, Dumbauld & Mat[illegible] are spending their vacation at [illegible].

Miss Ira Jaynes and Miss Mabel Jaynes of Greenwood were the guests of friends at Mt. Pleasant yesterday.

Mrs. J. J. Barnhart of Dunbar town returned home Saturday from a [illegible] stay at Confluence.

Mrs. Frank [illegible] and daughter, Mrs. [illegible] of Glenwood are the guests [illegible] for a few days. They [illegible] return home from a ten days stay at the Ohiopyle House. Mrs. [illegible] is the wife of [illegible] B. & O. passenger [illegible] and [illegible] resided in Connellsville for many years.

Mr. J. W. McIlvain and children and Mrs. J. A. [illegible] and daughter, Miss [illegible] and Mr. R. K. Long and [illegible] are sojourning at the Ferncliff, Ohiopyle.

Mrs. H. H. Eiguren and daughter Miss Margaret are home from a two weeks sojourn at Atlantic City.

Miss Hazel Wingenroth has returned home from a two weeks visit with relatives at Hesvernon and at Confluence.

Miss Ivy Heckenlively has resigned her position with J. [illegible] Dunn [illegible] and will leave [illegible] for a several weeks visit with relatives [illegible]. She will be succeeded by Miss Alice Dur[illegible].

Charles J. Huel a veteran newspaper man of Syracuse, N. Y. and manager for Billy Allen, the champion featherweight of Canada was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George N. Con[illegible] of East Main street yesterday. Mr. Huel is making a tour of the [illegible] for the purpose of arranging dates for his man and securing attractions for the Syracuse A. C. of which he is the matchmaker.

I. M. Muir of Mace & Company went East on the Duquesne Limited last evening for the purpose of making purchases for his firm.

I. C. Moore of the Wright Metal Company left last evening for New York city on a business trip.

W. B. Keller of Dunbar returned last evening from a visit to Cumberland, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren L. Wright of the South Side returned last evening from an extended trip to the Lakes and Eastern cities.

Superintendent J. W. Brown, of the West Penn left last evening on a business trip to Rochester N. Y.

Miss Emma Burr of Bellevue is the guest of her grandmother Mrs. Clara McCormick of West Fayette street.

Misses Etta Zimmerman and Grace Artman were the guests of Mrs. Herbert Rush of Uniontown Saturday.

Miss Ethel Drain of McKees Rocks returned home this morning after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Colborn, of East Main street.

Elkins Cohen of Beltline is the guest of his brother David Cohen.

C. K. Mentzer and [illegible] Mentzer spent yesterday in Pittsburg.

[illegible] Bruno of Morgantown was in town over Sunday.

Miss Myrm Conway of Scranton Pa is the guest of Mrs. Harry Dull of the South Side.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Schenck and son Robert and daughter Miss Cora left this morning for a visit with relatives in Winchester, Va.

Miss Jessie Bryner returned home this morning from a visit with relatives at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Frisbee were guests at Killarney park over Sunday.

Misses Martha and Anna Tumpson of New York, returned home this morning after a visit with Attorney and Mrs. S. R. Goldsmith.

Miss Irene Huston spent yesterday at Indian Creek.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bittner on Washington avenue Saturday and left a pretty baby girl. Mother and child are doing nicely.

Misses Maude and Catharine Forney were the guests of friends at Scottdale yesterday.

Mrs. N. A. Rist and daughter Miss Bess of Dawson were in town Saturday evening.

Miss Harriet Cover is the guest of Mrs. Stanley Nelson of Morgantown.

L. J. Donovan left this morning for Philadelphia after an extended visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson were visiting the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rosenstiel at Scottdale last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Strickler [illegible] of Dawson were Connellsville visitors on Saturday.

John Keck of Dearth visited his parents of Fairview avenue Sunday.

J. J. Donnelly Thomas A. Adams and J. D. Porter were Pittsburg passengers this morning who will witness the ball game between New York and Pittsburg today.

Charles Stauffer one of the well known mail carriers of town is taking his vacation.

W. D. McGinnis J. W. McClaren R. K. Long and J. Donald Porter left this morning on a ten days fishing trip in Canada. They will penetrate several hundred miles inland in the Dominion and seek one of the many secluded lakes where many of the finny tribe abound in profusion.

Dr. Milton Goldsmith and family returned to Pittsburg this morning after a visit with Mr. Goldsmith's father Henry Goldsmith over Sunday.

Ambrose Riling of Cumberland is a [illegible] at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Hartigan on the South Side.

Mrs. Bessie Sheppard of Chicago who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Colborn of East Main street returned home this morning.

Mrs. Thomas Connell and baby of Gray's Landing returned home this morning after a visit with relatives here.

J. A. Boyce of Pittsburg was in town over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hicks of Washington D. C. are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James G. Hicks of West Fayette street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Dick are home from a sojourn at Atlantic City.

C. W. Downs has returned home from a two weeks vacation spent at Atlantic City, Philadelphia and other eastern cities.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Schoonover and daughter Durrell left this morning for Buffalo N. Y. and points in Canada.

R. W. Singer of Pittsburg is in town today.

Miss Marie Hood and guest Miss Elizabeth Johnston of Pittsburg spent yesterday at Killarney Park.

DEATHS.

Andrew Sterling

UNIONTOWN Aug. 16 — Andrew Sterling of Point Marion who was stricken with acute indigestion on a train Thursday returning on his way home from Point Marion to the Johnson Hunsacker reunion at Masontown died at 11 o'clock this morning at the Uniontown hospital. He was 70 years old and his widow four daughters and one son survive. The remains were sent to the Sterling home on the 11 o'clock train this morning.

The Social Calendar.

MONDAY — Mrs. Robert Soisson and Miss Gertrude Soisson will give a corn roast and dance this evening at the Soisson summer home near Moyer's Springs. The young people of St. Vincent de Paul's Church [illegible] at St. Vincent de Paul's hall. A very enjoyable evening is looked forward to.

TUESDAY — The Daughters of Rebekah will meet in Odd Fellows hall [illegible].

WEDNESDAY — The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in the [illegible] Library hall. The Ladies Auxiliary to the O. R. C. will meet in [illegible] hall. All members are urged to attend. The annual reunion of the Dull families will be held at Killarney park. The annual outing of the Knights of Malta will be held at Kenwood Park. The annual [illegible] of the Grangers will be held in [illegible] grove near Flatwoods.

THURSDAY — A reunion of the Freed families will be held at Shady Grove. Extensive arrangements are being made for the reunion which promises to be one of the largest held in this vicinity for some time. Guests will be present from Fayette and Westmoreland counties as well as from California and Indiana States. The King's Daughters of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at the home of Miss [illegible] Wolfe on Crawford avenue. The evening will be spent in sewing.

FRIDAY — The Ladies Aid Society of the First Baptist Church will give a basket picnic at Greenview farm the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Martin. The Ladies Aid Society of the United Brethren Church will give an ice cream supper at the home of the pastor Rev. A. L. Funk on Crawford avenue. All are invited to attend. The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Protestant Church will meet with Mrs. William Marsh at her home in South Connellsville. All members are requested to attend. Company D, Tenth Regiment N. G. P. will give a shirtwaist dance in the Armory. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

SATURDAY — The annual outing of the Union Farmers Club of Fayette County will be held at Shady Grove.

Summer High Shoes to Go

Sale to Begin Monday and Closes on Sept. 1st.

Last Sale This Year.

Summer High Shoes for Men, Women and Children-all Go

This sale is to clean up all of this Summer's High Shoes left over. We do this twice a year. Our customers look forward to these sales, in fact, have been inquiring daily when it would be. Our new goods are now in and we need the room for them. We want our shelves full of brand new Winter Goods now and don't want the Summer Shoes any more. We don't believe in carrying over shoes from one season to another. Prices must make them go. Read carefully what we have to say. It will pay you.

Queen Quality, Zeigler Bros., and Burts, $3.00, $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00 Shoes to all be cleaned out at

$2.65

Ladies this is the opportunity of your shoe buying, when you can buy such shoes as these at this price. They include patents, button and blucher, gun metal calf, tan cloth top button, and black cloth top button shoes which are very popular at present. The price is $2.65

All $2.50 Ladies' or Men's Shoes, to be cleaned out at .. **$1.95**

FOR MEN.—A lot of tans, dull leather and patent shoes, button or lace, were all $3.50 and can't be beat for quality anywhere from now till September 1st, will be cleaned out at one price **$2.85**

All Summer Walk-Over $4.00 Shoes to go during this sale at **$3.40**; all Bannisters, $5.00, $5.50 and $6.00 go at

$4.25

All Boys' and Girls' Summer High Shoes to be sold at 1/4 off the regular price from now till September 1st. Boys and girls always need shoes. A saving worth your while looking into.

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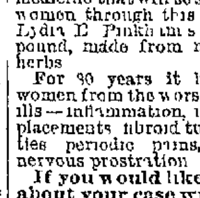

Noah Ky —"I was passing through the Change of Life and suffered from headaches nervous prostration, and hemorrhages.

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made me well and strong so that I can do all my housework, and attend to the store and post-office and I feel much younger than I really am.

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the most successful remedy for all kinds of female troubles, and I feel that I can never praise it enough."—Mrs. Lizzie Holland, Noah, Ky.

The Change of Life is the most critical period of a woman's existence, and neglect of health at this time invites disease and pain.

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For 30 years it has been curing women from the worst forms of female ills—inflammation, ulceration, displacements fibroid tumors irregularities periodic pains, backache, and nervous prostration.

If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

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This is how we are going to sell them.

$25.00 Suits	$18.75
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$12.00 Suits	$9.00
$10.00 Suits	$7.50

These goods are all new and up-to-date in every particular and at a saving of one-fourth should be doubly interesting to the buyer.

200 pairs of

TROUSERS at 1/4 off

the regular prices

A few Straw Hats—One Half Price takes them.

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The News of Nearby Towns.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, August 16—Mrs. John Hampshire of Connellsville, was here Saturday the guest of friends.

William White, who was the guest of friends at Pittsburg returned home on Saturday

Howard Clark, proprietor of the Central Hotel, is having his porches and office repainted and papered, also new awnings placed on the front of the hotel

Miss Dorothy Brant was the guest of friends in Connellsville.

Mrs Kathryn Porter of Speers Hill, is having an addition built to her home and the exterior of the house repainted

Mr and Mrs. Albert Gibson of Wilmerdine, Pa., are here the guests of friends for a few days

Mrs Sheppard Hillegle and daughter Gussie, who have been the guests of friends at Grafton, W. Va., for the past two weeks, returned home on Saturday

Mrs W. Crowe was shopping in Connellsville on Saturday.

D C Potts of Republic, spent Sunday here with his family.

Mrs Joseph Riley, who was in Pittsburg visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary Harper, at the Mercy hospital, has returned home.

Dr J H Junk who has been spending a few days in Pittsburg, returned home Saturday

Miss Catharine Nellis left on Saturday for Latrobe, where she will be the guest of friends for a few days.

Mrs James Ransom, who has been here the guest of Mr. and Mrs James Hawker for the past week, left for her home at Dawson

Mrs William Leapling, who has been visiting friends at Pittsburg, returned home Saturday.

Mrs J Lord was the guest of her daughter, Mrs J J Draper, in Connellsville, Saturday.

On Wednesday evening, August 18 the Ladies Baseball Club of St. Louis, Mo will cross bats here on the local diamond A large crowd is expected to be present

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Protestant Church held their regular monthly meeting on Thursday at the home of Mrs George Hostettler, Bryson Hill An interesting meeting was held, at the close of which dainty refreshments were served.

Mr and Mrs. James B. Henderson of Uniontown, were here the guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Sarah Watt.

Mrs Louis Heurich was shopping in Connellsville Saturday.

Mrs Albert Long of Uniontown, is here the guest of friends for a few days.

Mrs Martha Dolan of Aspinwall, is here the guest of her mother, Mrs. Sarah Watt

Mrs Florence Oliver and little daughter of Swissvale, Pa. are here the guests of her aunt Miss Emma McDonald, of Church street

Miss Francesca Di Carlo of this place, who has been making her home here with Mr and Mrs Louis A Marnell since coming from Italy six years ago, was married on Thursday morning in the Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Italian Catholic Church, Connellsville, to Joseph Rich of Morgantown, W. Va., by Rev. Father Di Sabata. After the ceremony the couple repaired to the home of the bride's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Marnell, where a bountiful wedding dinner awaited them. Mr. and Mrs. Rich will make their home at Morgantown, where the groom had a home prepared for his bride. Upon their arrival at Morgantown they were met by a number of friends and escorted to the club rooms of the United Brotherhood Society on Chestnut street, where a general reception was held. Mr Rich is one of Morgantown's most enterprising merchants

Miss Mary Harper, who was removed to the Mercy hospital Thursday morning where she underwent a serious operation on Friday, is now resting easy and considering her sickness which she has had for about five weeks before being removed to the hospital is getting along as well as can be expected.

Mr and Mrs. Robert Cochran of New Kensington Pa., are here the guests of Misses Ella and Jean Wishart.

Miss Josephine Holt of Pittsburg, is here the guest of Misses Mary and Rebecca Seanor

Louis Marnell, who has been attending to some business matters at Morgantown, W Va., for the past few days returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs Harley Yoe and little daughter Catharine, of Morgantown, W. Va are here the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Yoe

Mr and Mrs Gus Raupach and four children were the guests of friends and relatives at Owensdale on Sunday

Miss Emma Kate Dull of Connellsville was here Saturday the guest of friends

Mrs A. C. Duncan and son William, were visiting friends in Uniontown.

William Baer, who is employed at Brownsville, is here visiting his parents, Mr and Mrs Louis Baer.

Miss Ella Byers left for the shoren of Lake Erie, where she will join a crowd of young people who will spend the next two weeks camping near Erie.

Mrs. Alex McConnell, Sr., spent Sunday the guest of her daughter, Mrs David Hay, at Mt. Pleasant.

Dr. H. J. Baker of Connellsville, was here on professional business Saturday.

CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, August 16—Rev. C M Watson, pastor of the Christian Church, Connellsville, was a visitor in town Friday.

Job Flanegan, who has been the guest of his son Charles Flanegan, and family for several weeks, returned home Friday evening

Miss Madge Thompson of Unamus, is the guest of Miss Margaret Arnold for a few days

A shadow of gloom was cast over Confluence when news reached here of the death of Mrs Dawson Show, who was taken to the hospital last week suffering with typhoid pneumonia Besides her parents she is survived by a husband and two sons Interment will be made in the Uniontown cemetery

William Munson of Connellsville, is spending several days with his brother, George W. Munson, and family, of town

Miss Edna Shank of Oakland is the guest of her sister Mrs. Samuel Downs, for a few weeks.

Mrs. Marshal Flanegan and two children who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs Andy Flanegan at Johnsons Chapel, returned to their home in California, Friday.

Miss Mattie Nicalaw is spending a two months' vacation with her sister, Mrs Mitchell, at Addison

Mrs. Frazer and Mrs. Thomas spent Sunday with the latter's daughter, Mrs Ed. Marsh.

Miss Gertrude Show, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs O. B Mattox, at Cumberland, has returned home.

Misses Emma Flanegan of Connellsville, and Mary Flanegan of town, spent Sunday with friends and relatives at Johnson's Chapel.

Mrs. Katherine Shaw of Baltimore, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. J Reynolds

Miss Dalsie Frye of Fort Hill, returned home Friday evening after a short visit in town with her grandmother, Mrs Robert Nickelson

Mrs. Clay Show of Henry Clay township, was in town shopping Friday.

Miss Rosa Sanner entertained a number of friends at a very prettily appointed lawn party Friday evening. The evening was indulged in games until a late hour when a bounteous lunch was served by the hostess.

Mrs Henry Fisher of Jeannette, is the guest of Mr and Mrs F B Dean.

Rev. P. C. Brooks and family of near Pittsburg, are camping near town

Mrs Smith of Masontown was called here suddenly by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Show

BERLIN.

BERLIN August 15.—Miss Lorene Gorman entertained a number of her young friends at her home Thursday afternoon at games of various kinds. All present had an enjoyable time.

The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the Lutheran Church met in the Sunday School room Thursday evening in regular monthly session. An interesting meeting was had.

Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Wolford returned home last evening from a two weeks' outing.

Miss Tillie Engle is visiting with friends at Latrobe. She expects to be gone several weeks.

Mrs. B. S. McDonald of McDonaldton, spent several days in town with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Brubaker.

Rev. Tedrow of Michigan, who has been soliciting subscriptions for a Lutheran Church paper, and was a guest of Henry Walker, left Saturday for Somerset.

Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Rose of Saxton, Pa., who have been guests at the L. J. Eskep home the past several weeks, returned home Thursday

Clem Wadsworth of Meyersdale, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Merchant Henry Gumbert of Pine Hill, was transacting business in town Wednesday.

Ed H Miller was in Cumberland and Frostburg, Md., on business last week.

Mrs Sarah Fritz and daughter, Mrs. G L. Brant, left Thursday for Wardner, Idaho, where they will visit with relatives for several months.

ROCKWOOD.

ROCKWOOD, August 16—Miss Mae Fritts and Miss Bessie Heimbaugh left Saturday morning for Friedens to attend a picnic.

Henry Swernen, who some two years ago moved from Rockwood to Junction City, Kan., expresses a desire to return to Rockwood due to the fact that he has been suffering from a stroke of paralysis, caused by the change of climate.

The Lutheran reunion of Somerset county will be held at Englewood grove, Somerset, Thursday, August 19. Everyone invited.

J. E. Dull will go to Gettysburg College this fall in company with Harry Wolfersberger where he will take up a classical course.

Frank R. Hay, who broke his leg some time ago is slowly recovering. The early part of last week a new son arrived at his home which has brightened up Mr. Hay considerably.

Simon Weimer died about noon on Saturday, aged 58 years. He had been suffering for about two weeks from typhoid fever. He is survived by a wife and one son, Ed J. Hay.

The Rockwood School Board met Friday evening and elected H Fitz of Somerset, as teacher. There were several applicants.

MEYERSDALE.

MEYERSDALE, August 16—Karl Poling clerk in the Thomas drug store returned Saturday from an outing at the seashore.

W. H Plato one of the representatives in the Legislature from this county and senior member of the tobacco manufacturing firm of W H Plato & Brothers paid a business visit to Connellsville and nearby points Saturday

C. W. Baldwin, who is agent for the sale of real estate in the District of Columbia, returned from Washington Saturday with several local parties to whom he sold lots.

Constable William Gilbert of Somerset, was here Saturday on business

P. L. Livengood of Salisbury, former editor of the Somerset County Star, was on business in Somerset Saturday.

Saturday morning Conductor Chas W Baldwin of the Citizens Band of this place, and who also instructs the band at Casselman took the latter organization to Friends where they furnished music for the Lutheran Sunday School picnic Two members of the local band, William Gray, clarinet and Charles O Malley, cornet, accompanied the Casselman band

Attorney, W H Ruppel of Somerset, was transacting legal business here Saturday evening

A B Falkner, who conducts a hotel at Berlin, was shaking hands with friends here Saturday

Saturday the local ball team defeated Berlin, at Siber's park, this place by a score of 10 0

H H Pourbaugh and family are spending a week at the seashore

Misses Effie and Ada Guagey of West Milton, O., arrived here Saturday evening and will spend several weeks with their brother and sister-in-law Mr and Mrs. J Milton Guagey.

Thomas B. Daugherty of New Castle, returned home Saturday evening, after spending several days with his father, Captain William M Daugherty, a veteran B & O conductor, who has been ill for some weeks

PERRYOPOLIS.

PERRYOPOLIS, August 16—The union Sunday School picnic in Fuller's grove, back of the High School building, on Thursday, will be an open, home-like affair and everyone is invited and bring a well filled basket Come and enjoy the festivities and amusements. The Cornet band will furnish music

The P. A. C baseball team of town, accompanied by a number of rooters went to Pricedale Saturday to battle with the claim-to-be champions of the Yough, and when a heavy rain put an end to the struggle in the tenth inning neither side had pushed a man across the rubber. Harris for the enemy, disposed of the first 15 men in order and our own garnered four little binkies in the entire contest. Carson, our own slab artist was growing stronger as the game progressed. The four hits the enemy got off him were gathered early In the last 6 innings only one run was scored on Carson.

Among the out of town directors attending the meeting of the Board of Directors of the First National bank Saturday were: J. H. Mutts, M. E Strawn and Harry McDonald of Dawson, and Dr J. L. Cochran of Star Junction.

Mr. and Mrs H T. Slocum left today for a vacation trip of ten days

Mr and Mrs E L. Bickel were calling on friends in Vanderbilt

Dr. Frank Martin of Pittsburg, is here with his mother Mrs. George Martin, who is very ill

Prof. Dawson Murphy, principal of the Slippery Rock State Normal school, is a guest at the home of his sister, Mr and Mrs Howard Lynch

Messrs J K McIntire, and brother, Emory, of Latrobe, are visiting relatives in Ohio.

Mrs. Samuel Sisely and Mrs Sadie Sisely were in Pittsburg Saturday

NORMALVILLE.

NORMALVILLE, August 16—Mrs John W Miner sister Lola and brother Homer, were Connellsville callers Saturday

Miss Mattie McClain and brother, Devaux, were at Jones Mills Saturday and Sunday visiting their sister, Mrs. Lawrence Homer

Clifford Johnston and wife visited at the home of B L. Showman, Snydertown, Saturday

Mrs John Brownfield and little daughter Gladys, and Miss Mae King of Scottdale, are visiting their mountain friends here.

Harvey Silcox and wife drove up from Connellsville Wednesday and remained until Thursday evening

Poor Directors Barnhart and Love were here Friday looking after the unfortunate who need county aid

Mrs. Samuel E Leonard is here on a visit to her mountain friends.

A. G. C Sherbondy and Abe H. Miller took in the races at Dawson last week.

Mr and Mrs. W. K. Shultz entertained the Misses McPherney of Pittsburg, sisters of Mrs Shultz, at a private picnic along Indian Creek, last Friday.

Fred Kooser and sister, Miss Lizzie of East Liverpool, O., arrived here on Friday for an extended visit among mountain friends

Miss Rosy Eicher left Friday to visit friends in Vanderbilt

John M. Stauffer of "Bidewee," and H K. Brooks were Connellsville business visitors Friday.

William H. Channing is suffering with a badly bruised ankle, the result of being caught in the gearing of a hay rake.

Some of our people attended the funeral of Philip Stout, in Saltlick, Sunday, who died with typhoid fever.

STAR JUNCTION.

STAR JUNCTION, August 16—B. L. Carson spent Sunday in Scottdale.

Mrs. M F Elwell has returned home after a few days' visit in Charleroi.

A number from here went on the excursion to Woodland Beach, Sunday

Casper Hall is attending the Knights of Pythias Convention at Wilkes-Barre.

Classified Advertisements in this paper cost only 1 cent a word. Have you tried them?

SOMERSET JURORS.

Panels Drawn for Regular and Special Sessions

SOMERSET, Pa, Aug. 16.—The following 42 jurors have been drawn to serve at the special September term of Civil Court which will convene on September 27th:

W. T Critchfield laborer, Confluence
John S Savior, carpenter, Meyersdale
R. W McGregor, retired, Hooversville.
D H Shank, clerk, Confluence.
H. C Cramer, blacksmith Upper Turkeyfoot.
Willis Weaver, laborer, Windber.
John R. Schrock, farmer, Somerset township
C W. Smith watchman Windber.
Jacob Keim, farmer, Addison
Herman Deal, retired, Meyersdale
John O Johnson, printer, Salisbury
Harvey Glessner farmer, Stonycreek
Samuel Dempsey, laborer, Hooversville.
Wilson J. Bittner miner, Summit
Howard Carver, farmer, Brothersvalley.
Foster G. Brant, merchant, Stonycreek
D C Zimmerman, farmer, Shade.
William C Baker, farmer, Summit.
John C Engle, farmer, Summit
C E Deal laborer, Meyersdale.
Charles Lichty, farmer, Summit.
H. W Dennison salesman, Somerset borough
H. G King, carpenter, Upper Turkeyfoot.
James Bell, farmer, Larimer.
Harvey H. Livengood, farmer, Elk Lick.
Daniel Gnagey, farmer, Summit.
James K. Hileman, farmer Addison.
Amos W. Harbaugh, farmer, Middlecreek.
Theophilus Bemson, clerk, Conemaugh
J C. Beachy, farmer, Brothersvalley.
Elmer Tressler, farmer Addison
J H Mahaffey, merchant, Boswell
Frank Pritts, laborer, Somerset township
F E Zorn, tax collector, Berlin
Jacob O Kimmel, farmer, Somerset township.
John A. Hoffman, farmer, Brothersvalley.
J B Colborn, farmer, Lower Turkeyfoot.
Ross Glessner, farmer, Stonycreek.
Andrew Bird, laborer, Confluence.
George W Buckman, painter, Berlin.
W H Bruner, laborer, Jefferson
Dorsey Gehn, laborer, Jenner
The following 60 petit jurors will serve at the September term of Criminal Court:
William Davis, magistrate, Paint borough.
N B McClintock, laborer, Addison.
Henry Heffley, retired, Somerset.
M. J. Baer, jeweler, Meyersdale
Norman S Hay, farmer, Summit.
Lewis Christner, lumberman, Summit
Samuel G Neff, carpenter, Jenner.
Ross M. King, farmer, Upper Turkeyfoot
William M. Bowman, drayman, Meyersdale
C. C. Heckle, farmer, Summit
John L. Fochtman, farmer, New Baltimore.
Jacob Baer, farmer, Somerset township
N S. Miller, merchant, Boswell.
George Paul, farmer, Wellersburg.
John W. Arnold, miner, Windber.
James Cable, farmer, Brothersvalley.
Charles J Harrison, banker, Somerset.
James McKenzie, farmer, Greenville
Jacob M Fike, farmer, Somerset township
William Diveley, blacksmith, Stonycreek
Oliver A Weaver, farmer, Paint township.
Calvin Lehman, clerk Conemaugh
J H Sorber, farmer, Somerset township.
F S. Gerhard, drayman, Confluence.
Jere G. Henry, farmer, Upper Turkeyfoot.
Charles Barnett, farmer, Conemaugh.
Jacob Saylor, miner, Meyersdale.
J C. Werner, carpenter, Brothersvalley
William Hosselrode, farmer, Northampton.
Robert Shaulis, laborer, Windber.
William Burkholder, farmer, Lower Turkeyfoot.
Ed H. Shaulis, constable, Lincoln.
George May, laborer, Elk Lick.
John L. Barchus, banker, Salisbury.
E. E Boger, farmer, Brothersvalley.
Perry Schrock, laborer, Summit.
Mahlon Meyers, farmer, Milford.
John E. Shaffer, laborer, Wellersburg
Mahlon Keim, farmer, Jenner.
Jacob Sechler, farmer, Black.
Charles Burnet teacher, Stonycreek.
Mahlon Hauger, farmer, Black.
W. F. Barkley, laborer, Addison.
E. G. Spessard, minister, Hooversville
John J. Bowser, laborer, Meyersdale.
Theophilis Wagner, assessor, Salisbury
John H. Shaffer, farmer, Paint township
Henry Seihl, laborer, Meyersdale.
Adam Friedline, farmer, Jenner.
Reuben S. Walker, agent, Meyersdale.

The Mystery Has Been Solved.

Follow the Crowd to

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The One Big Outing of the Year, the KNIGHTS OF MALTA at Beautiful

Kennywood Park Wednesday, Aug. 18th.

Three special trains over the Lake Erie railroad, made up of big clean and comfortable coaches and plenty of them. No crowding and jamming on the cars. Those taking baskets may have them checked at the station and need not worry about them again until time to eat. The baskets will be taken from the train to the park and will be returned to the trains in the evening. No charge for this.

Rain or Shine. In case of the former, Kennywood is provided with several large pavillions which will shelter thousands of people. But the weather for next Wednesday is going to be fair and clear and Kennywood is equally as well provided with shade so that in either event your outing will be pleasant.

Go and Take the Whole Family.

Special attention will be paid the children. A special committee has been appointed whose duty will be to look out for the youngsters during their day at the park. Every precaution will be used to prevent an accident and show the little folks the best time they ever had. Pack your baskets brim full and take the whole family. Don't say you can't go because of the children. They all want to go and they will not be half the trouble you imagine. The Maltas will entertain them.

SPECIAL TRAINS — Eastern or City Time.

Leave	1st	2nd	3rd
New Haven	7.00	7:30	8:10
Adelaide	....	....	8:18
Dickerson Run	....	7:40	8:24
Layton	....	....	8:34
Fuller	....	....	8:37
Star Junction	....	7:40	....
Perryopolis	....	7:45	....
Whitsett Junction	....	7:55	8:41
Jacobs Creek	....	7:50	8:46
Smithton	....	7:53	8:48
West Newton	....	8:07	9:00
Douglass	....	....	9:08
Scott Haven	....	....	9:12
Buena Vista	....	....	9:15
Greenock	....	....	9:25
Boston	....	....	9:33
McKeesport	....	8:42	9:44
Braddock	....	....	9:55
Rankin	....	8:56	8:58

Round Trip Fares

ADULTS	CHILDREN
75c	50c
60c	30c
50c	25c

Returning, Leave Rankin 7:00, 8:00, 10 P. M. City Time.

Dancing All Day and Evening. Kiferle's Full Orchestra.

Whispering Smith He Comes!

"IRISH DAY."

Annual Reunion and Picnic of the A. O. H. and L. A. of Fayette County.

Shady Grove, Thurs. Aug. 19

SPORTS.—Tug of War, Races for Old and Young, Male and Female. Prizes will Be Awarded.

Mart May Will Have a Ball Team There to Play "Shamrock."

Dancing Afternoon and Evening—Prizes Awarded

Special rate tickets will be on sale for the occasion by the West Penn Railways. Four tickets for 15 cents. This will mean a 30-cent rate from Scottdale and Dawson; 15 cents from Uniontown and Connellsville.

Come and enjoy an "Irish Day" with the Hibernians.

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MONDAY EVENING, AUG. 16, 1909.

AN OFFICIAL SHOT AT SHOOTING FROM THE SOLID.

The Chief of the Department of Mines of the Sovereign State of Pennsylvania has fired a shattering shot at the Connellsville coke region practise of "shooting from the solid," and incidentally taken a shot at the coke operators who shot his new mining bill full of holes at the legislative committee hearings in Harrisburg last winter. The operators then and there gave a skillful exhibition of shooting from the solid, that is of shooting solid facts and arguments into a somewhat fantastical mining bill which had been framed by theorists for the government of practitioners; and so accurate was the aim of the marksmen that the riddled bill expired peacefully in committee.

But Roderick Dhu is determined to have his due; to glut his vengeance upon the assassins of the child of his throbbing brain; to shoot at the pocketbooks which cover the hearts of the Connellsville operators and miners.

The shots which ring around the coke region today are but an echo of the war waged some months ago at the State Capital, and when and where the end will be no man knoweth.

The Connellsville operators are just as anxious as the Chief Inspector can possibly be to avert disaster in their mines, and we may safely assume that the miners have no desire to court death by the practise of dangerous methods in coal-getting; but they do not regard the requirement of undercutting to be essential to safety, since the practise of blasting the coal remains.

It is probable, however, that the mandate of the Chief Inspector will not be resisted by the operators or the miners. It bears more heavily perhaps upon the latter, but the operators will doubtless in many cases provide undercutting machinery which will facilitate the work and increase the capacity of their mines.

A graduate of the Connellsville region finds ready employment in any coal mine because the Connellsville region mining practise is recognized as the best in the country, and the Connellsville operators will continue to make that reputation good without the aid or consent of official dictation.

We may, therefore, assume that shooting from the solid will be abandoned in the Connellsville region pending a final settlement of the question.

A PROSPERITY RAIN IN THE COKE REGION.

"The rain falleth upon the just and the unjust," says the old proverb; but after the country has suffered from a month or more of drouth, when the growing crops are parched and burned, when the streams dwindle into trickling rivulets or stagnant pools, when the dust of the highways blind and choke the traveler, we welcome a soaking rain such as we have had over Sunday. It gives new life to nature and to humanity.

The rains of the past couple of days came too late to save some injury to the crops, but in time to prevent any serious damage to them, and in time to save the Connellsville coke traffic from embarrassment. Many of the independent operators have been in a rather percarious situation for water. Most of the operators have fortified themselves against this contingency by connecing their plants with unfailing water supplies, but many remain whose sources of supply are often dried up during a summer drouth of long duration. To those operators the present rains have been a blessing

It was, in short, a prosperity rain. Even nature seems to be willing to help along the bettering business conditions.

TAFT'S MESSAGE TO THE CENSUS TAKERS.

President Taft has served notice on the census takers that they must attend strictly to business and not enter into the distractions of politics during the term of their enlistment in the government civil service. Like Grover Cleveland, on a former memorable occasion, he serves notice that "pernicious activity" in politics will not be permitted.

"A man cannot serve two masters," and a local politician cannot attend to the duties of a public office like censustaker and spend his days manipulating ward politics between times. One job or the other must suffer seriously, and it's always the Government's job, because the appointee argues that he must do the work of his political patron before he attends to the duties of his office. Did not the patron get him the office?

President Taft, however, has had something to say about handing out the offices and things, and he will have a great deal more to say about the manner in which official duties are performed. He is responsible to his party and the country for the manner in which the government is administered, and he does not propose that his good name and fame shall be dimmed by an indolent, careless or incompetent servant.

Census supervisors and takers will please sit up and take notice.

EUROPE AND AMERICA.

An observant Connellsville traveler says Europe does not compare with home.

That seems to be the opinion of most of the Europeans who come to the Connellsville region. They come to make a fortune with no thought of remaining; but many never do return to the old home, and many of those who do come back here again.

Their taste of America is acquired and cannot be dissipated. The old home looks small to them and the old manner of living mean. Neither is satisfactory to their enlarged ideas and expanded tastes.

Europe is probably a good place to visit, and interesting to look at; but for comfort, convenience, health and happiness the Old World cannot compare with America.

European travel is fashionable, and European residence is a fad of some Americans with more social ambition and filthy lucre than wit or patriotism; but America is preferable for Americans, and for most Europeans who try it.

Greensburg is reported to have been disappointed because there was not a big crowd present at the Tenth regiment reunion. There is no just cause for disappointment. The Philippine veterans were royally entertained. It was an entertainment for patriots not a public circus, and Greensburg did the honors in a manner that was above reproach There is no occasion for mourning in Greensburg, but every occasion for congratulation.

Joy rides are seasoned with sorrow.

The South Side is still in the amusement line without the aid or consent of any Amusement Trust.

Hucksters must huck up, or run the risk of getting in hock.

The Wert Penn Fife will go West to charm the natives with his dulcet tones.

Eleven crosses make a Constitutional vote this fall.

Guffey's Hollow is being rejuvenated. It's not an oil proposition, but a coal deal which will probably prove to be a warm proposition.

The frequency of Friday, the 13th, has done much to quell superstition.

Henry C. Frick and Mayor Magee are planning to make the Smoky City a thing of municipal beauty. Pittsburg will never rue the day that brought that Westmoreland boy to her.

The pay days are growing in number and the pays in volume.

In these days of conservation water supplies are welcomed, but springs are the subject of just suspicion in crowded towns. The springs that quenched the thirst of the early settlers when the earth was unpolluted were the living waters, but in most cases in this modern time they are draughts of death. The Grape alley spring is interesting, but dangerous.

Connellsville has a Carnegie hero medal.

Somerset is so shy of water that the authorities charged a man $100 for watering 18 mules. A mule's drink is popularly presumed to be a big one. Perhaps that accounts for the charge

The Democrats announce that they are going to elect their State ticket this fall. What is Democracy without hope?

Indianna county has developed a husky grease spot and is now on the Rockefeller map.

The United Mine Workers announce that they are going to evangelize West Virginia. Before getting down to work they had better harmonize themselves.

West Virginia politics never cool down. They are either simmering between campaigns or boiling over in fight.

Greene county's wool industry has already weakened its Democratic majority, and its coal will finish the job.

Wright and Zeppelin will cause Society to turn green with envy when they hold their first Atmosphere Party.

This is another B. & O. Prosperity Day.

The News claims the credit for having inspired the anti-auto-speeding notice of Burgess Evans by reason of certain alleged suggestions from time to time made. We are under the impression that such suggestions were not confined to the columns of our esteemed contemporary, but we will be content if the habit is broken up and destroyed.

Masontown proposes to do the Phoenix act.

The Dawson races came to a fast finish.

Our news department forgets itself. There is no New Haven any longer, nor any New Haven fire department. It is Connellsville; it is Greater Connellsville.

"Lovers' Leap" is a romantic spot at Ohiopyle, but lovers never leap from the spot. They just sit down on a convenient bench and snuggle up

Seashore breezes these summer nights.

Dawson had a fast time on the closing day of the races, but it was not swift enough to injure the morals of the town on the Yough.

Turning turtle is an automobile feat that is not recommended.

How one Baseball dispute ended.

Philosophy of Sunburn.

Don't stay out in the broiling sun in the effort to get yourself burned. It may be fine to be brown in the summer, but it's very ugly to be YELLOW IN THE AUTUMN, and that is what you will be if you get deeply sunburned now.

Water at Meals In Hot Weather.

Do not drink water or other liquids when you have food in your mouth, for one part of the danger of drinking at meals is that the fluid may wash down into the stomach particles of food which have not been thoroughly masticated and impregnated by the digestive juices in the mouth.

The second danger, especially in summer, is that your drink may be too cold, like ice water, which so many foolish persons indulge in too much.

When you swallow ice water at mealtimes the water simply paralyzes the walls of the stomach for a time and stops the flow of gastric juices until the body warmth has overcome the chill and allows the juices to flow once more. But if you chew your food well and DO NOT DRINK VERY COLD FLUIDS there is no danger.

CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY of Fayette, ss:

Before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public within and for said County and State, personally apeared James J. Driscoll, who being duly sworn according to law did depose and say:

That he is Manager of Circulation of The Courier, a daily newspaper published in Connellsville, Pa., and that the number of papers printed during the week ending Saturday, August 14, 1909.

August 9	5,012
August 10	5,080
August 11	5,060
August 12	5,047
August 13	5,070
August 14	5,033
Total	35,310
Daily Average	5,040

That the daily circulation by months for 1907 was as follows

1907 Month	Total Copies.	Daily Avg.
January	141,783	5,465
February	134,166	5,465
March	146,597	5,038
April	147,220	5,603
May	162,815	5,202
June	140,858	5,634
July	141,051	5,440
August	141,226	5,230
September	136,721	5,409
October	146,800	5,218
November	140,730	5,113
December	135,987	5,430
Totals	1,767,956	5,500

That the daily circulation by months for the year 1908 to date was as follows:

1908. Month.	Total Copies.	Daily Avg.
January	139,344	5,887
February	144,663	5,784
March	156,732	6,028
April	161,609	6,216
May	158,877	6,003
June	158,898	6,080
July	154,177	5,970
August	151,594	6,070
September	145,509	5,590
October	153,472	5,858
November	142,068	5,682
December	148,596	5,715
Totals	1,831,024	5,869

That the daily circulation by months for the year 1909 to date was as follows:

1909 Month	Total Copies	Daily Avg.
January	156,116	6,004
February	146,912	6,121
March	167,668	6,217
April	162,832	6,263
May	156,777	6,029
June	156,202	6,011
July	156,159	6,006

And further sayeth not.

JAS. J. DRISCOLL.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16th day of August, 1909.

J. E. KURTZ, Notary Public.

CLASSIFIED ADS. ONE CENT A WORD.

Wanted.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply 1028 SOUTH ARCH STREET. 16aug-tf

WANTED—TO SAVE YOU MONDY on your next pair of glasses. GRAHAM & CO.

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND REbuilt Smith Premier Typewriters. One machine at $15 and another at $30. Bargain prices. See them at THE COURIER OFFICE. 4jantf

WANTED—TO LOAN $200 000 IN large or small loans on first mortgage Connellsville property or judgment notes with approved security. FEATHER & DUNN, Real Estate and Insurance, 201 Title & Trust Building. 14aug-tf

For Rent.

FOR RENT—6-ROOM HOUSE; GAS and water. 217 Carnegie avenue 16aug6td*

FOR RENT—APARTMENT, 6 ROOMS and bath. Apply J. N. RUTH, 302 Title & Trust. 14augtf

FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM HOUSE; water, electric light and gas. MRS. GEORGE J. HUMBERT, South Connellsville. 7aug-tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—6-ROOM HOUSE, MODern. 213 OGDEN STREET. aug10td*

FOR SALE. — ADVERTISEMENTS under this head. They are effective and cheap.

FOR SALE—EVERYTHING FOOND in the average drug store and many things that are not. GRAHAM & CO.

FOR SALE—FINE PAIR 5-YEAR-old Kentucky drivers, both saddlers. ARTHUR J. PORTER, Scottdale, Pa.

FOR SALE.—SECOND-HAND REbuilt typewriters. Cheap for cash Inquire at THE COURIER OFFICE.

FOR SALE.—SOUTH CONNELLSville lots Convenient, cheap, easy terms. Inquire at THE COURIER OFFICE.

FOR SALE —GINSENG, GOLDEN Seal, Gray and Red Foxes, Ornamental Pheasants N. B. CURSTEAD, Olphants Furnace, Pa. aug14-16

FOR SALE—BAY DRIVING MARE, buggy and harness. Cheap to quick buyer. Call BELL 'PHONE 119 14aug2td*

FOR SALE—28 ACRES HARRISONDodd, Ridge county, West Virginia coal on railroad cheap Party needs the money. F. J. McFARLAND, Dunbar, Pa. 6aug-tf

FOR SALE.— $1,000 BUYS COSY brick house in South Connellsville, convenient to trolley line, city water, natural gas, electric light; easy terms. Inquire at THE COURIER OFFICE.

FOR SALE—5-ROOM HOUSE, WITH one or two lots, close to trolley line; 15 minutes' walk from Brimstone corner, water, gas, sewer, and fruit. Very cheap. Location, Gibson. Address, "W. R," care Courier. 11aug3td*

Lost.

LOST—ON THE NIGHT OF AUG. 6, 1909, near Laughlintown Pa., a small light brown mare. She has a bad scar on left hip, by cut or kick Was tracked back to Stauistown; ha dhalter on. Reward if returned to ALEX DAVENPORT, Stauffer, Pa. 16aug2td

Charter Notice.

John M. Core, Attorney.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania on the seventh day of September, A. D 1909 by D. B. Stauft, Sue M Stauft, and J C. Bryson, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "Stauft Coke Machinery Company," the charter and object of which is the manufacturing or having manufactured, buying, selling and leasing all kinds of machinery, tools and appliances for the making of coke and the mining of coal and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits, and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

JOHN M. CORE, Solicitor.

Uniontown, Pa., Aug 6, 1909

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Whispering Smith

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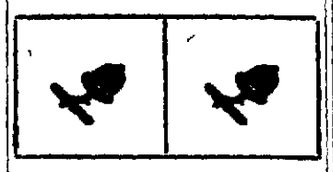
DUNN'S CASH STORES.

129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Western Pennsylvania. Showers and warmer; Tuesday, partly cloudy; light to variable winds, mostly west.



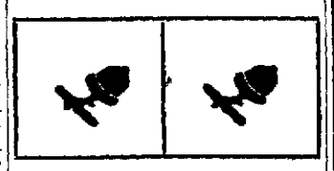
The New Fall Suits and Skirts

Showing this week the first of the New Suits and Skirts for the coming Fall wear. Suit prices start at $20 00 and Skirt prices at $5 00 and that's pretty near all we have to say about prices except that for good reasons we are able to do business on a very narrow margin of profit and we believe that we have Suits here at prices that you cannot afford to miss seeing and examining if you have a Suit want this coming Fall. We leave it for you to say, all things considered, that the same money will not buy you a better Suit here than elsewhere We believe that the Suits that we have sold in seasons past will help to a bigger and better Suit business here to merit this increased business and we ask you to come and see whether we have or not. We call special attention to the workmanship on these Suits. The plain tailored effects where fine work shows. The firms from whom we buy these have a reputation the best in the market, and you can easily tell the difference between these and the ordinary tailored Suits.

Our alteration room is in charge of a competent party who knows how to make the little changes necessary to insure a perfect fit. You know how our invitation to see these Suits reads. Whether you wish to buy now or later, here or elsewhere we ask you to come and examine these Suits and learn the prices. You will be welcome and we'll be more than pleased to have your opinion of these new Fall garments.

Butterick Patterns.

New Fall book of Butterick Fashions and the September patterns and September Delineator are now in stock. The style book and a 15c pattern for 25c. Delineator 15c. When you buy a pattern you ought to buy a Butterick Pattern, then you know you are right. Never any doubt about Butterick Patterns being exatly right.



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Brand new Belting, regular 25c quality, sale price 15c

Ask about the Ladies' 75c and $1.50 Gloves we are selling at 50c

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SHEETS.

Bleached Sheets 72x90 regular 60c quality, sale price 39c

58c Bleached Sheets 81x90, sale price 52c

75c Bleached Sheets good quality muslin, 81x90, sale price 62c

PILLOW CASES.

Bleached Pillow Cases, good full size sale price 9c

Bleached Pillow Cases regular 15c quality, sale price 12½c

BOLSTER CASES

Regular 20c Bleached Bolster Cases, sale price is 25c

SHEETING.

Unbleached Sheeting, 33c, 25c and 20c

Bleached Sheeting, 35c, 29c and 25c

42 inch Muslin bleached and unbleached, 15c and ... 12½c

45 inch Bleached and Unbleached Muslin, 18c and 15c

Lancaster Apron Gingham 7c | 10c Dress Gingham 8½c

TOWELING.

10c Bleached Linen Crash, sale price ... 8½c

All others reduced 1c on the yard.

5c Cotton Crash, sale price is 4½c

GINGHAM.

Regular 25c quality of Scotch Plaid Gingham, sale price ... 19c

MUSLIN.

All bleached and unbleached Muslin above 5½c reduced 1c in the yard.

Cambric Muslin, regular 15c quality, sale price is 11c

Regular 12½c quality, sale price 8½c

TICKING.

Regular 10c quality, sale price 9c

15c quality, sale price is 12½c

25c quality, sale price ... 19c

12½c Silkaline for drapery, sale price 10c

12½c double fold Gingham, sale price ... 10c

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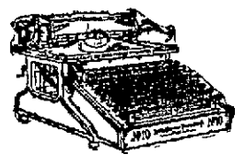

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THIS WEEK

you will get full benefit of our cut price sale of Oxfords. It will pay you to look them over and take advantage of the prices. You get the latest style Oxfords with the wearing qualities that makes our goods popular. Sizes are somewhat broken, still there are enough to make it pretty certain of your finding just what you want.

You will get a good grade of Oxfords that are rightly made, fit correct and easy to wear.

Don't fail to come in this week—Oxfords for men, women or children.

Norris & Hooper

104 W. Main St., Connellsville, Pa.

SCOTTDALE'S JOY OVER RAINFALL.

Three Inches Deep Was the Long Looked for Showers.

FUNERAL OF MISS QUIGLEY

Popular Young Lady Was Buried Today—Broadway People Howl Over Garbage Burning—Rev. Bert Dick Preaches.

SCOTTDALE, Aug. 16.—Hundreds of dollars worth of rainwater came down into this locality Saturday night and Sunday, and some more of it today, making the farmers, the gardeners and the lawn owners chuckle with glee. The rain was desirable in the strongest way, since the ground had become baked, the roads were deep with dust, and the fields were showing the perilous state of being deprived of life giving water, while more water was needed for the town's domestic supply. The rain fell gently and without blowing or electrical disturbance and earnestly performed its mission, without any wastefulness that accompanies the dashing rain that washes away fields, and seeks the natural water courses without stopping to soak into the ground. The rainfall was a very heavy and lasting one, and three inches of it fell, as measured by Dr. A. J. Rogers of Broadway, who had set a perfectly dry pan out in his backyard and who measured the water in the pan yesterday afternoon, the rainfall showing a depth of three inches.

Preached to Big Gathering.

Rev. Mr. Earnest, pastor of the Evangelical Church, was the minister for the open air meeting at Loucks Park last evening, which was adjourned on account of the dampness to the First Methodist Episcopal Church, where the place was filled. Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Mansell of that church have not got away on their vacation, as the boat which they were to take for Duluth with a party will not sail, according to a telegram, until the 24th. In the morning Dr. G. D. Crissman, former president of Beaver College, and formerly pastor at Jacobs Creek preached for Rev. Mr. Mansell. Dr. Crissman who is living over at Ridgeview Park had a strenuous time getting here walking a couple of miles in the heavy rain of the morning to get to the train.

Rev. Bert Dick Preaches.

Jacobs Creek Methodist Episcopal Church was filled last evening by old and new friends gathered to hear Rev. Albert Dick of the Northwestern Kansas Conference, preach. The young man then a little boy, who left this community over a dozen years ago, when his father, Jacob Dick, erroneously stated on Saturday as P. S. Dick moved out there, has developed into a tall young man of earnest eloquence. After the sermon there was an informal reception held for him, and many friends came up and tendered the young minister their good wishes.

Object to Burning Garbage.

Residents of South Broadway are making the welkin ring, that's a good phrase for it, with their complaints about the burning of garbage on the swamp land below the Broadway Planing mill. The stench that arises from the putrefying material as the flames slowly eat into its vitals comes near raising the roof. The residents out along Broadway can all be distinguished by their red noses. If you see a person that has a red nose, you don't need to look in the directory to find where they live. They are Broadway people and the red nose is caused by them wearing clothes pins to repel the smell from the garbage burnings.

Miss Quigley's Funeral.

Had Miss Catherine Quigley lived until yesterday she would have been 23 years old. She died after a short illness at the home of her mother, Mrs. Catherine Quigley of Chestnut street, on Friday after having been taken violently ill on Thursday evening when neither the physicians or family had thought she was in a dangerous condition from an indisposition that started on Tuesday, and which developed into appendicitis. Miss Quigley was employed as a stenographer in the offices of the American Sheet & Tin Plate Company and had spent her lifetime in Scottdale, where her cheerful disposition made her a favorite with all who knew her. The floral emblems sent the family were many and beautiful, one from the American Sheet & Tin Plate Company and one from the office force of whom the deceased had been a part, being magnificent. The funeral services were held this morning at the church of St. John, the Baptist, with burial in St. John's Cemetery.

Home From Trip.

Misses Eva and Mabel Rosensteel, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rosensteel, are home from a month's visit with friends at Duluth and the Mackinac Islands. They went with a party by rail and returned by boat and had a most delightful trip.

Have Gone East.

Miss Mary Jennewine and Miss Kate Jones have left on a summer trip to Chautauqua, Buffalo, Ningara Falls and New York, and will be gone several weeks.

Telephone Meeting Tonight.

This is the evening of the meeting at the White school house of the citizens of west of town to hear the proposition of the Bell Telephone Company to extend a telephone line out west of town, where a number of people have been agitating this matter with the company for several months.

August Clearing Sale of SUMMER GOODS

Ladies' White Petticoats, tucked and trimmed with one row wide lace insertion and lace trimmed, a beautiful petticoat, we are closing them out at **45c**

Ladies' White Petticoats, a great quantity of these beautifully trimmed with wide lace and embroidery, 14 inch flounce and dust ruffle, these are $1.00 petticoats. Come in and select one for 69c and **59c**

White Wash Dresses

Ladies' Linen Wash Skirts in white or tan, made up in the very latest styles. We have these in all lengths and styles. We have sold them for $1.25. We are closing them out, your choice at **85c**

OXFORDS

500 pairs of Oxfords in ladies' and children's sizes of every style. We are closing them out at cost. Come in and find your size and save money.

Ladies' Tan or Patent Leather Oxfords, a beautiful stylish Oxford, all sizes, 3 to 7, pair **$1.15**

Ladies' fine Tan Oxfords, the very newest things of this season, our close out price, pair **$1.35**

Ladies' Vici Oxfords with patent tip, a beautiful Oxford in shape and finish, our close out price, pair **$1.35**

Ladies' High Grade Oxfords in tan or patent leather, every new style of this season, regular $2 and $2.50 Oxfords, our close out price, pair **$1.65**

Misses' Oxfords, sizes 12 to 2, black or tan, the new summer styles, reduced to, pair **$1.25**

Children's Oxfords, sizes 8 to 11½, black or tan, any style, to go at, pair **$1.10**

Child's Oxfords, sizes 5 to 8, the new ankle strap style, to close out, pair **85c**

Come quickly and secure your choice of these articles before stocks are badly broken.

SCHMITZ'
New York Racket Store.

SETH LOWE AND ROBERT BACON, PROBABLE NEW AMBASSADORS

Robert Bacon, ex-secretary of State, who is now in England, maintains strict silence with regard to the report that he is to succeed Henry White as American Ambassador to France. It is understood, however, that after a visit to Scotland Mr. Bacon will go to Paris to conclude arrangements for the taking over of the residence now occupied by Mr. White and that he expects to move in on January 1. Seth Low, former mayor of New York City, also is silent upon the persistent and apparently well founded rumor that he is to succeed Whitelaw Reid at the Court of St. James. It is known that President Taft has been looking for a good man for the post ever since Dr Eliot declined to accept it. It is generally believed in Washington that Mr. Low will accept and that he will visit the President at Beverly soon to discuss the matter.

IRON AND STEEL PRODUCTS

Were Active Last Week—Advance in Prices May Soon be Made.

New York, Aug. 16.—Iron and steel products were quite active last week, although the volume of business was moderate in comparison with the great sales of the last few months. Supplementary orders for railroad equipment and for finished material for manufacturing plants are sufficient to maintain a strong and confident tone in the trade and it is evident that further advances in prices are only a question of time.

"In the territory east of the Allegheny mountains, sales of pig iron have been surprisingly heavy. Total transactions have aggregated close to 40,000 tons, including steel making iron, malleable Bessemer, forge and foundry grades. Basic sales have been partly of Virginia, Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey production. There have also been several sales of low phosphorus iron aggregating three or four thousand tons. Several additional contracts of basic iron are on the point of being closed."

GREEN A CANDIDATE

Seeks Election as President of United Mineworkers.

Clearfield, Pa., Aug. 16.—Following close on the visit here of National President Tom L. Lewis of the United Mineworkers to participate in the joint conference of the operators and miners the other day the officials of district 2 gave out a letter from William Green of Columbus, president of District 6, comprising the entire state of Ohio, announcing his candidacy for national president in opposition to Lewis, who seeks re-election.

He states he is not the candidate of any faction and that his chief ambition will be to eliminate discord and unite all forces of the union.

Shoots His Negro Wife.

Columbus, O., Aug. 16.—Ascertaining after eight years of married life that his wife was a colored woman, Alfred Haberman, a white man, after a visit to Washington, returned home and shot her twice and then turning the revolver on himself, inflicted a wound that will prove fatal. Mrs. Haberman is still living. The couple had a seven-year-old son.

Dock Strikers Return to Work.

Fort William, Ont., Aug. 16.—The striking dock laborers of the Canadian Pacific railway returned to work today.

Monday Began a Week of Bargains at The Big Store.

Stock-Taking Sale Continues Throughout the Week.

The big crowds that thronged our aisles during the past three days of this great sale eager for a chance at the many rare bargains we are offering has proven conclusively, not only to ourselves, but to the public at large, that our August Stock-Taking Sale is one of unparallelel importance to the wise and economical.

REMEMBER! All prices are reduced as advertised. All goods are seasonable and there are nearly three months more in which to wear them. Can you think of a better investment? Owing to the fact that many of the odd lots are sold much earlier than we anticipated, we have been forced to place on sale quite a number of new lots at greatly reduced prices.

Let other stores do it if they will. We positively won't carry over a single Parasol, Ladies' Hat, or Men's Straw Hat.

Ladies' Parasols marked $2, $3 and $4 for..... **$1.00**

Men's Straw Hats marked $2.00 and $3.00, for..... **58c**

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, marked $1.50 to $5.00, for .. **29c**

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear.

39c for Ladies' Waists made of white, black and fancy lawns, neatly made with tucks and hemstitching, slightly soiled, worth $1 and $1.25.

98c for Ladies' Waists, tailor-made and Ladies' Lawn Waists as white as snow, worth $1.50 and $2.

$3.90 for Evening Waists, made of Messaline silk, in light blue, pink and white, also net waists in ecru and white, very neatly made, worth $6.50, $7.50 and $8.

78c for Ladies' Wash Skirts, made of good quality duck cloth, in white, blue and polka dots, worth $1.25 and $1.50.

$2.90 for Linen Skirts, made of the best quality linen, in natural and blue, worth $4 and $5.

$2.90 for Ladies' One-piece Dresses, made of plain white lawn, also assorted checks and stripes, one piece Gingham Dresses trimmed neatly with val. lace and insertion, worth $7.50 and $8.50.

MILLINERY

29c for every Misses' and Women's Untrimmed Shape that sold for $1, $2, $3, and $4, made of lobster straw, milands and Macinaw straw, in sailors and mushroom styles, now at 29c.

98c for Ladies' and Children's Trimmed Hats that sold for $4, $5, $6, $7.50 and $8.50, some sailors and mushrooms, trimmed with the best material, suitable for evening dress, at 98c

$2.90 for Ladies' Pattern Hats, suitable for parties and full dress affairs, just five left, worth $15, $16.50 and $18, now at $2.90.

Remnants and Short Lengths

Of all kinds of Dress Goods Silks, Domestics, Laces and Embroideries. Many of these are suitable for waists, skirts and dresses, and marked regardless of cost. Your great opportunity for great bargains.

Dry Goods Dept.

Offers special inducements during this week of unusual bargain-giving.

62c yard for silks that sold for $1.25 and $1.00, great values, 62c yard

42c yard for Silks that sold for 85c and 75c yard, now 42c a yard.

12c yard for Pillow Casing 42 inch muslin that sold for 16c, now 12c.

12c for Heavy Huck Towels, plain or neat border, that sold for 18c, now 12c.

59c yard for 72 inch extra value all linen Semi-bleached Damask that sold at 85c yard, now 59c

39c for best Turkish Towels, bleached, extra large, that sold at 50c, now 39c.

25c for extra value bleached Turkish Towels, that sold at 35c, now 25c

18c yard for our 35c and 25c plain, plaid and figured Dimities Nansook, Madras and India Linons, all now 18c yard

5c yard for plain and fancy Lawns that sold for 10c yard, now 5c a yard

Ladies' Furnishings Department

33c for Ladies' Hose, in all colors, plain or lace effect; they were sold at 50c, now 33c

18c for ladies' plain and lace hose, in all colors, that were sold for 25c, now 18c.

6c for Ladies' White Lace Hose, that sold at 15c, now 6c

18c for Infants' and Children's colored, black, white, lace and plain lisle Hose, that sold at 25c, now 18c.

9c for Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs, that were sold at 25c, now 9c

4c for Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs, that sold at 10c, now 4 cents

16c for Ladies' White Washable Belts, that sold at 25c, now 16 cents

7c for Ladies' White Washable Belts, beautifully embroidered, that sold at 15c, now 7 cents

35c for Ladies' White, Grey, Tan, Red, and Green Silk Gloves, broken sizes, some sold as high as 85c pair now 35 cents

Great attraction in purses and Bags, small and large, one-third off the regular prices.

7c for Ladies' Gauze Vests, sold for 15c, now 7c.

11c for extra size Vests, well worth 20c, now 11c.

50c for Ladies' Belts, high class buckles and elastic, some were $2.00 down to $1.25, now 50c.

Miscellaneous

Lace Curtains, some slightly soiled, to be sold at HALF PRICE, never such an opportunity.

Clothing Department

Throughout this department we are giving values never before offered in this vicinity. For want of space we mention a few only, which will give you a fair idea of how they have been reduced.

3 Special Low Prices

Many of these Men's Suits you can wear away into winter. Then after a short rest they're just right for spring. Choice of materials, colors and effects too great to describe. A page wouldn't hold it. You must see our stock to understand what this offer really means to you. Think over these prices.

Three Piece Suits, worth $7.50, $8.50 and $9.00.

$3.85

Three Piece Suits, worth $15.00, to $18.00 at

$8.90

Three Piece Suits, worth $22.50 to $25.00, at

$12.90

School days but a short time from now, hardly three weeks, your boys will have to have something new, either a suit or pants. It's what you save that counts.

$3.85 for Sampeck Knee Pants Suits for Boys, all wool cassimeres and worsteds, made in plain and knicker pants, all this season's styles, worth $5.50 to $6.75.

$1.85 for Boys' Knee Pants Suits in brown and gray, all wool mixtures, plain and knicker pants, worth $3 and $3.50.

19c for Boys' Plain Knee Pants in blue tweed cloth only, worth 35c.

42c for Boys' Plain and knicker Pants in worsted and cassimere cloth, all sizes worth 75c.

39c for Boys' Wash Suits, made of good material, fast colors, all sizes, worth 75c.

$1.15 for Boys' Wash Suits, made by the mothers' friend, in Russian and Sailor Blouses, very neat patterns, all sizes and all colors, worth $2 and $2.50.

$1.85 for Boys' Wash Suits, mothers' friend make, in Russian and Sailor Blouses, plain colors and neat stripes, also white included, worth $3.50.

85c for fine worsted Boys' Knicker Pants and Bloomers, all sizes up to 17, worth $1.25 and $1.50.

MACE & CO.,

The Big Store. - - - - Connellsville, Pa.

DEFY ORDERS OF THE POWERS.

The Population of Crete Refuses to Haul Down Greek Flag.

POWERS SEND WAR VESSELS

Cretan Situation, Thought to Have Been Peacably Solved, Again Prominent by Reason of Strong Greek Sympathy Among Cretans.

London, Aug. 16.—A peaceful solution of the Cretan situation appeared practically to have been secured last week through the intervention of the four protecting powers and the scrupulously correct attitude adopted by the Greek government in its diplomatic intercourse with Turkey and, despite the fact that the Turkish government under the pressure of national agitation, handled the diplomatic difficulty in an unsuccessful manner in demanding fresh guarantees from Greece. The Young Turk party plainly mistrusts the present Turkish ministry and fears that Turkey will lose suzeraipty over Crete as she has lost that of Bulgaria. This feeling has led to a strong movement among the Albanians against the Turkish government and to a serious boycott against Greek trade.

At the same time the population of Crete has shown such strong Greek sympathies as to induce Crete to defy the order of the protecting powers—Great Britain, France, Italy and Russia—to haul down the Greek flag, which was raised when the troops of the powers recently evacuated the island. As a result of this latter difficulty the situation again has become acute. The powers have ordered warships to Crete and probably will reoccupy the island in order to enforce compliance with their wishes. In this event it is not unlikely that fresh negotiations will ensue with a view to placing the Cretan question on a more settled basis and prevent a recurrence of the disturbing events.

Perfect confidence still is felt that the peace between Turkey and Greece will not be disturbed.

Greek Flag Not Hauled Down.

Canea, Island of Crete, Aug. 16.—The British battleship Swiftsure arrived in Suda bay, in the western portion of the island.

The Cretan government has resigned and the administration of the island has been intrusted to provisional committees. The committees have had the armed peasants expelled from the fortress, which they occupied intending to resist the order of the powers that the Greek flag be lowered. The committee, however, have not had the flag hauled down.

French Cruiser Awaits Orders.

Toulon, Aug. 16.—The armored cruiser Jules Parry has been ordered to coal in readiness to sail for Crete. It is stated that similar orders have been given to the commanders of the battleships Jauregniberry Bouvet and Suffren.

Many Italian Ships En Route.

Rome Aug. 16.—The Italian cruisers Francesco Ferruclo, Varese, Guiseppe Garbaldi and Giovanni Bausan sailed for Crete and will be followed by the battleships Regina Elone, Napoli and Vittorio Emanuele III.

WITH 40,000 TROOPS

Spanish General Marina Is Ready for Decisive Conflict With Moors.

Madrid, Aug. 16.—Reports from Morocco are that a decisive conflict between the Moors and the army of General Marina will begin either today or tomorrow. The tribesmen are scattered along a line from Melilla past Alhucemas, to Penon de la Gomera, and are known to be under able leaders.

General Marina has 40,000 soldiers in his command, and they are massed somewhere near the center of the line of the Moors. It is expected that General Marina will take the aggressive and dispatches indicate that he has all his plans laid to make a general battle a finish of the hostilities.

CENTRAL JAPAN SHAKEN

Thirty Lives Lost in Earthquake—362 Buildings Destroyed.

Tokio, Aug. 16.—Reports received concerning the earthquake in central Japan show that there were a number of fatalities and that great damage was done to property. The dead at present is said to be thirty, though it is feared that the fatalities will be greatly increased when the outlying districts are heard from.

The number of persons injured is eighty-two. Thus far 362 buildings, including many temples, are reported to have been destroyed and more than one thousand others badly damaged. The town of Ozaka in Gifu suffered terribly. The banks of the Hida river there broke and the surrounding country was inundated. The people of the district fled to the high ground and remained in the open all night.

Blind Man Hangs Himself.

Easton, Pa., Aug. 16.—Blind for thirty-five years, Emanuel Deck, aged sixty-two years, committed suicide by hanging himself to a bed post.

CHINATOWN IS STIRRED.

Chinese Woman Murdered in Mott Street, New York.

New York, Aug. 16.—Chinatown boiled over again on discovery of the murder of the most beautiful of the few Chinese women in New York, Bow Kim, twenty-one years old, who came here from San Francisco about a year ago with an Americanized Chinaman, Chin Len, thirty-one years old.

It was about 2 o'clock in the morning when Chin Len dashed out of a tenement house at 17 Mott street, crying: "My woman has been murdered."

The street, filled with loitering Chinamen and parties of American sightseers, all of whom quickly recalled the sensational murder of Elsie Sigel, the missionary girl, was thrown into excitement. A policeman and a detective hurried into the house under Len's direction, through dark hallways to a rear room on the second floor. The door was locked and the officers were about to break it in when Len pushed them aside and unlocked it himself.

In a bedroom the murdered woman lay on the floor, stabbed in a half dozen places. Her slender neck was ringed with bloody finger marks, indicating a struggle with her assailant, and beside her lay a crested hunting knife.

It was evident that the woman had been dead for two or three hours. On the stairs were found traces of blood and also on a door leading to the store of Yuen Chin & Co. on the ground floor. Three Chinamen there were arrested, although they denied any knowledge of the murder. Six American women, who declared themselves to be the wives of Chinamen, were found in the house and arrested, but none of them would admit knowledge of Bow Kim's death.

In the murdered woman's rooms were found many business letters in Chinese, but none that gave a clue. Len declared that he had no idea who killed his wife, unless "Maybe See Sing kill her. See Sing say she owe him money and he try to get it." Sing, too, had once been in love with Bow Kim, he said. As to Sing's whereabouts, he knew nothing.

OPEN AS USUAL.

Atlantic City Saloonkeepers Bid Defiance to Reform Element.

Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 16.—Saloonkeepers and proprietors of amusement places here bade defiance to the reformers and members of the Lord's Day Alliance who are trying to enforce the Sunday closing laws in this resort.

Although a half a hundred liquor dealers are under bonds following their arrest last week, practically every bar and cafe in the resort was open as usual. Extra forces of bartenders were employed to serve what is claimed to be the greatest crowd of visitors ever gathered here.

The baseball game at Inlet park was played despite the objections of the reformers. City police in uniform were present at the game to prevent any attempt at a raid or the breaking up of the game, which was down as a trump card of the alliance.

Ministers of the alliance from their pulpits preached scorching sermons condemning both the liquor dealers and their political backers for their defiance of the laws. The police contented themselves with visiting the saloons and warning the managers not to sell to intoxicated persons who might furnish material for reform criticism. Amusement men on the boardwalk were also warned not to operate any noisy amusements which are under the ban of the local laws.

LUCANIA SWEPT BY FIRE.

Big Vessel Burns While at Dock at Liverpool.

Liverpool, Aug. 16.—The Cunard line steamer Lucania lies a wreck at the Huskisson dock, seriously damaged, having been almost gutted from her funnels forward by fire.

The flames are supposed to have originated in the saloon kitchen. The fire brigade of the vessel, with two powerful motor engines, turned out immediately at the first alarm and found the first saloon burning fiercely from end to end. Despite all their efforts, the flames gradually worked forward until they reached the steerage, consuming every particle of the woodwork there, and then played havoc with the forehold.

At this time the heat was tremendous, and the flames, shooting high from the vessel, attracted thousands of persons to the side of the river.

ROCKEFELLER INVITED

To Attend Fiftieth Anniversary of Discovery of Oil.

Oil City, Pa., Aug. 16.—The fiftieth anniversary of the discovery of petroleum by Colonel E. L. Drake will be celebrated in a novel way by the business men of Titusville and invited guests on Aug. 27, the date the well was completed.

John D. Rockefeller and others prominent in the Standard Oil company, as well as leading independent producers and refiners, will be invited to attend.

Negro Sued a White and Is Lynched.

Monica La., Aug. 16.—Because a negro sued a white man for shooting the negro's sow, the negro was lynched near Doss, in Moorhouse parish. The negro was hanged to a tree near his home and his body was riddled with bullets.

FIRST PHOTOS OF FIGHTING BETWEEN SPANIARDS AND MOORS

These are some of the first pictures to reach America of the fighting between the Spanish and the Moors near Melilla. The upper picture is a snapshot of one of the Spanish camps after the first few days' fighting. More than a thousand Spaniards were killed in the second engagement outside Melilla. The lower picture shows a group of women giving water to a wounded man and the soldiers who are carrying him to the rear. These women exposed themselves to the fire of the Moorish troops in caring for the wounded, and not a few of them were hit by stray bullets. The Moors are now suing for peace, but the Spaniards are determined to punish them for opening the war and will push the fighting into the interior.

PENNSYLVANIA'S GREAT PLACE

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war and in peace, nurtured a moral elevation commensurate with its material progress; pushed forward the outworks of education, science, religion, art, literature and government at the same time it levelled timbers, pierced mountains, drove canals, dug mines, drilled oil wells, strung wires and led railways through its mountain passes.

The speaker sketched the character of Penn, and declared that of all the various forms of enterprise attaching to the original members of the American Union, the "proprietary" is the most romantic and interesting and of all associated with such undertaking, none other was in the same class with Penn.

His "frame of government" has been nobly eulogized by Charles Sumner, whose panegyric was quoted; as well as Voltaire's praise of Pennsylvania and Bancroft's eloquent vindication of Penn's faith in popular sovereignty.

The passing of the Quaker; the influx of more militant elements into he population; and the aggressive genius of the Scotch-Irish were in turn traced. Indian ally and Latin domination alike went down on Pennsylvania soil, when over the broken walls of Fort Duquesne the English flag was raised, and the conquering warrior of the day declared that the place should be known by the name of France's most implacable foe, "and henceforth it was called Pittsburgh." The conquest of Western Pennsylvania and the genius of its great city comprise the crowning triumph of the Scotch-Irish race in the history of Pennsylvania.

In the Revolutionary period, the commanding position and influence of John Dickinson, Benjamin Franklin, Robert Morris, Thomas Mifflin and Anthony Wayne, in the field and in the cabinet; the conspicuous and decisive attitude of Pennsylvania in the Declaration of Independence, to which it contributed nine signers; its preeminent influence in the construction and adoption of the Federal Constitution, in whose convention it had eight members—far more than any other colony; the position of Philadelphia in relation to all these great events; and the military movements on the soil of Pennsylvania—where Brandywine and Germantown battlefields, the red spots at Paoli and the bloody footprints in the frozen fields of Valley Forge remain imperishable memorials—comprise a story of sacrifice, bravery and loyalty surpassed by no other of the thirteen colonies.

High tribute was paid to the Pennsylvania German, whose historians have been thoroughly working their fields of labor. In the fullness of time the romantic or ideal side of the pastoral life of Eastern Pennsylvania will tempt the pen of the imaginative writer, and when this shall be touched, no phase of the State's history will more abound in richness of historic material. Neither Bret Harte on the Pacific, nor Cable in Louisiana, nor Hawthorne and Mary Wilkins in New England, Irving in New York, James Lane Allen in Kentucky, nor our own Bayard Taylor in the Quaker settlements of Chester county, had finer fields for the exercise of romantic genius than has that future master of historic fiction who shall idealize the character of the Pennsylvania German peasant farmer—"the man with the hoe," whose face has ever been lifted to the stars.

The Mennonites, Amish and Dunkers have for two centuries ploughed, seeded and harvested the fat fields of Lancaster county, and in all this time this Pennsylvania county has held primacy of all these United States in wealth of agricultural production—the while its surplus population has moved in steady procession and with even tread across the Ohio, the Wabash and the Mississippi, beyond the "Great Divide," and now to grasp the rich possibilities of Puget Sound.

From the beginning in wealth and commerce, as in the race elements, Pennsylvania displayed a variety and versatility unknown to any other province; and today, with two billions of capital invested in manufacturing enterprises, her steam railroads have assets aggregating five billion dollars—one-third the entire assets of all the railroads in the United States. The unparalleled wealth and variety of her natural resources have given her government a redundant revenue, and to her schools and charities she "scatters plenty o'er a smiling land."

In science, the early lustre that Rittenhouse, Rush and Bartram gave to her chief city has been reflected by a century of schools and institutions of historic splendor, rich equipment and world-wide fame.

Of the twenty-five millions of dollars annually raised and spent for public education, the State contributes directly seven millions, and yet she levies no tax on real estate and has no debt. Today she is giving the world lessons of fiscal and administrative railroad management, conserving the convenience of the public and the advantage of the stockholder.

Pennsylvania in jurisprudence has ever held high place. Its founder set the example of providing a constitution which contemplated and supplied the process for its own amendment, and he first declared that an unconstitutional statute is void. Whoever traces the development of its statutes and the administration of justice under them, will find the pathway of his labors lightened by beacons of high learning blazing on the mountain ranges, which have illumined the long track of English law from Westminster to Olympia.

More than any other State Pennsylvania epitomizes the life of the nation in the composite citizenship which possessed and has peopled her, and in the variety of material resources and their development. Out of this grew a statehood that is national, rather than racial, special or local. So she has proved herself in every trial. From within her borders went up the first protest against human slavery, and throughout her valleys rang the first peal of Freedom's bell.

In the final struggle of our countrymen for the mastery of ideas, if she was mindful of the wrongs of the bondsman, she was yet tolerant of the constitutional rights of the master. Hesitating to rupture the invisible chords which reached to every hearthstone, when the life of the nation was assailed, she knew no hesitation nor shadow of turning. As in the war of the Revolution and the struggle for a constitutional Union, she made sacrifices beyond any other Commonwealth, so in the defense and assertion of the principle of our governmental integrity, Pennsylvania never faltered. In the readiness of her response to every appeal, and in the fullness of her contribution of men and money to every demand, none went beyond her. In conclusion Mr. Hensel said:

It is to be regretted, far more by those of us who still dwell within her borders than by you, the vigorous and aggressive element native to Pennsylvania soil, who have contributed so much to this young empire of the Northwest—so like Pennsylvania in the variety of her material resources and in her composite citizenship—that there is no formal and organized representation of our Commonwealth on these grounds. The fact that Pennsylvania makes no State display in this splendid group is not due to any lack of interest on the part of her people, who have come here across the continent in large numbers to share your proud satisfaction in the magnificent success attending this great undertaking. Nor is it owing to any want of sympathy in the Chief Executive. A bill appropriating $75,000 for participation in this enterprise was vetoed because an inconsiderate General Assembly in 1907 abdicated the Legislative functions and cast upon the Governor the responsibility of meeting a situation in which extravagant appropriations were thoughtlessly voted far in excess of even the imperial revenues of the Commonwealth.

That in this dangerous tendency and in some other political and official malversations Pennsylvania has not been free from scandal, it were useless to deny. Nor is there compensation in the assurance that so long as none of the sisterhood of states shall hurl a stone, except one free from sin, we may rest in serene safety. But even of her people occasionally lamenting political degeneracy, no impartial mind who contemplates the policy of her founder, and no student who knows the inherent virtue of her people, can banish the hope that we shall see her, like Milton's ideal republic, rousing herself like a strong man after sleep and shaking her invincible locks, even as an eagle renewing her youth and kindling her undazzled eyes at the full mid-day sun.

WARNS AGAINST ANY ACTIVITY.

The Census Takers Must Keep Out of Politics.

THE PRESIDENT SERVES NOTICE

In Letter to Secretary Nagel Chief Executive Insists That Supervisors and Enumerators of Thirteenth Census Keep Clear of Politics.

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 16.—In a letter addressed to Secretary Nagel of the department of commerce and labor, President Taft served notice that any man engaged in the taking of the thirteenth census of the United States who engaged in politics in any way will be immediately dismissed from the service. Outside of casting their votes, the president believes that census supervisors and enumerators should keep clear of any thing that savors of politics, national, state or local.

The president orders that the secretary of commerce and labor and the director of the census embody in the regulations governing the taking of the census the rule so forcibly laid down in his letter.

Mr. Taft says that in appointing census supervisors it has been found necessary to select men recommended by senators and congressmen in their districts. He says he realizes that this method of selection might easily be perverted to political purposes and it is to take the census out of politics so far as the actual work is concerned that he has explicitly expressed his desire as to the regulations.

President Taft has told the representatives and senators who have urged various men for census places that he would insist that no active partisan should be named and that no attempt should be made to build up a political machine in any state or district through the distribution of the census patronage.

One hundred and thirty-four additional supervisors of the census were announced. Altogether 180 of the 330 supervisors now have been commissioned and Mr. Taft's task is a little more than half completed. Practically all of the appointments have been agreed upon, but some are being held up temporarily on account of protests.

Among the appointments made are the following:

Ohio—Second district, Frank P Richter; third district, Joshua Edward Russell; fourth district, John Henry Schrider; fifth district, Stacy A. Mitchell; sixth district, Harry B Weaver; seventh district, Core S. Ireland; eighth district, Robert James West; ninth district, Jno. W. Kern, Jr.; tenth district, Tiffin Gilmore, eleventh district, John E. Todd; thirteenth district, Perry S. Williams; fourteenth district, Sherman M. Grander; fifteenth district, Charles Delmer Simerel; sixteenth district, Peter C. Given; seventeenth district, John P. Jones; eighteenth district, Charles Wesley Wickline.

Pennsylvania—Third district, Oscar O. Bean; eighth district, Samuel Lewis Price; nineteenth district, William S. Nason.

West Virginia—First district, Harvey W. Harmer; second district, George H. Child; third district, Col. Elisworth Rudesill; fourth district, Robert Morris; fifth district, W. W. Wayte.

Cat Saves Man's Life.

Franklin, Pa., Aug. 16.—N. G. Cole, a farmer living near Tionesta, perhaps owes his life to the family cat. Cole was sleeping under a tree near the house when a four-foot rattlesnake emerged from bushes and crawled toward him. The cat sprang at the snake, which was too quick, and sank its fangs into the animal. A daughter of Cole, who heard the warning rattle of the snake, saw the incident and aroused her father. Cole killed the snake. The cat died from the bite it received.

Shoots Wife, Then Swallows Poison.

Lansing, Mich., Aug. 16.—William Graulich of this city shot and killed his wife. Immediately after the shooting Graulich swallowed a quantity of carbolic acid, dying soon afterward. Both were nineteen years of age.

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"It's a mighty bad thing, as a general rule, to let your ill humor get away with your nerves," chided Smith. "You have acted tonight like a petulant kid, instead of like a man I've tried to help You've put yourself out of court, and I'm through trying to do anything for you"

"And I'm through asking you to do anything for me," Brooks retorted jumping up and clapping his hat on his head. "I don't want any more favors of the kind you've been handing out so smugly I know what I've said tonight and it doesn't carry any apology with it either. You can all go plumb to Podunk, every one of you—you, my loving wife and the old woman I'm through with the whole crowd for good and all"

He rushed out, bounded down the stairs, and the front door slammed violently.

Smith lighted a cigar, solace and sedative of the wrought-up man, and ruminated sadly for awhile He thought of Emma, of the worthless husband to whom she was tied and of the false position all round in which he found himself as the result of his peacemaking effort

Ah, God, how he loved her!

With a weary sigh he fetched out plans and figures and began to work It was hard to concentrate his mind, but application at length subdued the turmoil of his thoughts, and work, that "pledge of cheerful days and nights without a groan," his unfailing narcotic for the perturbation of his spirit, absorbed him until tired nature coming to its support did the rest

While Jimsy Smith worked that he might forget, Brooks, the heat of his anger cooled, sat down in his lonely room to consider the unexpected change in the situation. The failure of his plans was a blow to him, but this time the pricking of the bubble of his optimism, which had soared so high, instead of plunging him immediately into the gloomiest despondency found its contrast in bitter resentment against both his wife and Smith

He cursed Smith for a fool and a blunderer At least he did not believe the accusations he had hurled at him in his rage and disappointment. He had never considered him in any other light than that of a good natured, old womanish friend of the family, who did anything for anybody and with whom anybody could take liberties He could see nothing in him calculated to inspire any woman with more than ordinary liking and indulgent toleration, not to speak of Emma, and he never had had the slightest scruple in leaving them together.

Her reception of his overtures had practically dispelled the glamour of

The word "Refused" was written across the envelope

romance in which he had clothed her in his visions but he resolved to make one final attempt to soften her by means of a letter and be set about it forthwith It was an epistle of many pages a melodramatic jumble of contrition and despairing supplication, for he was no master in the art of writing But he was highly satisfied with it To make it the more impressive he blurred it here and there with drops of water, thinking this would convey the idea that he had been moved to tears as he penned it

"If this doesn't do the trick nothing will," he muttered after he had perused it for the third time. "And if it doesn't I'll quit. She'll never get another chance from me"

He addressed it to her, care of Jimsy Smith, knowing the latter would see that it reached its destination. It came back under cover through the same medium, unopened, with the word "Refused" written large across the envelope in Beth's handwriting The word was a full confirmation of Jimsy's report of his mission

Brooks gnashed his teeth, banished his dreams of a renewal of happiness with his wife and clinched a resolution that had been forming in his mind as an alternative—to seek relief in another and facile love from the depression of his solitary existence

CHAPTER XXIII.

AUTUMN, chilly and wet, had brought sojourners in the country early to town, among them Mrs Harris and her daughters Mrs Harris had requisitioned Jimsy Smith's services before she descended from the mountains There was a lot to do on their arrival. Would he mind attending to this and that for them, and would he meet them? Jimsy duly attended to this and that, met them in his old genial way, saw them installed in their home dined with them as per Mrs Harris' schedule—and, although the winter was well advanced, had never been there since except to make a brief call at Christmas

At each of these visits Emma had thrilled at sight of him and at the sound of his voice It was with timidity that she had extended her hand to him but neither by pressure of his clasp nor by any sign of manner expression or intonation had he given indication of remembrance that their secret was known to each other He was the same quiet, kindly unchangeable Jimsy By her alone was his prolonged absence understood Mrs Harris and Beth finally attributed it to a reluctance to meet continually on an equal footing his employer, Captain Williams, who had taken Jimsy's place as extra member of the family and usurped all his prerogatives

To Emma the captain was no longer an object of fear and detestation She knew that his affection was purely paternal, and he knew that she understood him as no one dead or living ever had or did She manifested her appreciation of his regard by a confidence which was to the old fellow a comfort and huge delight. Not that his delight took a demonstrative form that was not in his nature, and Emma would have been greatly astonished could she have known what a boon to him her frank friendliness was

The fact was that his good deed to Emma had been the first striking effect of a softening process that had been going on very, very slowly, so slowly as not to be noticeable to any extent, for several years, which began when he had been admitted to the family circle of his late general manager and with which, all unconsciously, Emma had had a good deal to do He had anchored himself to the family as his one connection with refinement and home life But it had been a cautious anchoring, maintained with distrust and carrying with it no reciprocity in the shape of business or any other favors A fighter who had got nothing out of existence without fighting, ever on the alert to forestall an expected treacherous blow his hand had down to his hip pocket, so to speak, at the slightest movement that appeared to him to be suspicious.

As time wore on, however, his distrust had vanished, and Mrs Harris and her daughters had become a necessity to him He was being civilized He preferred Emma to the others, which is saying that she was the person he liked best on earth, but his manner of showing it had been repellent because misunderstood. In the first place she had hated him for his supposed injustice to her husband, whereas, having read Brooks through from the start, he despised him and would not help him even to make her lot easier When reawakened distrust, battling with unwillingness to believe that his high estimate of her had been unmerited had caused him to try her out relentlessly on the occasion of her appeal for Brooks, alone with him and at his mercy in his rooms, she had seen that a warm heart, full of pure regard for her, beat beneath his forbidding exterior From that night she had learned to respect him and judge him at his real value His actions and idiosyncrasies received at last their true interpretation

As for Williams, the proof that he had not been deceived in her fortified his faith and made him really happy He was getting old He had won his hard fought, lifelong battle with the world and was as rich as he cared to be The devil was disposed to turn monk The yearning for affection, not demonstrative, but existent, which came with the approach of life's sunset and which was not to be found elsewhere was gratified there He put on slippers, smoked his pipe, had his favorite chair, expressed his views in his authoritative way and liked to be consulted.

But he never ceased to be impressed with the ostentatious proclivities and aristocratic airs of Mrs Harris and Beth, though he laughed indulgently at many of the mother's foibles To him the two women represented the beau monde and were authorities on all that pertained thereto He deemed it a privilege to place one of his automobiles at the family's exclusive command, and it was the most luxurious vehicle money could buy That he did not give it outright was because he knew their circumstances would not enable them to maintain it.

Emma was different from her mother and sister She never gave herself airs He felt himself nearer to her, and the more intimate they grew the more she became endeared to him She had changed much since she had left Brooks A spirituality that he had not, of course, known in her in the old days had increased the charm of her personality, but her sensible, unaffected manner, her gentleness, were always the same More than once he had surprised a wistful, faraway look in her eyes a fleeting expression of melancholy, and his solicitude had been aroused Something caused him to refrain from questioning her, but he did considerable pondering about it

"What a shame it is that a girl like Emma isn't married to some nice fellow worthy of her," he remarked one evening, uttering his thoughts aloud "There are some things that no man can understand, and this is one of 'em—that she should be handcuffed to a dirty scalawag like Brooks"

"Captain," ejaculated Mrs Harris, raising her hands, "you mustn't! You know it is understood that the person's name is never to be mentioned"

"I know," he said, "but you can't alter facts because being disagreeable, you don't want to remember 'em Brooks is a disagreeable fact, a darned disagreeable fact, and he's Emma's husband into the bargain As such he ain't to be ignored altogether because he stands between her and the fair pasture lands."

Why captain" smiled Emma "I'm happy enough What more could I want than the peace I have?"

Are you sure, girl?" he answered shaking his head doubtfully "I don't know—I don't know"

"Certainly she's happy" put in Beth "And as for getting married again, I should think she's had enough of that to last her all her life"

"It's your turn now, Beth," observed Emma

"Me? Oh, I shall never marry!"

"It doesn't follow because I have been unfortunate that you should be," said Emma "It is easy to conceive of perfect happiness with the right husband"

"Of course I mean I won't marry until the proper man comes along I should never make the mistake of binding myself to such a man as—as that beast, or even Jimsy for instance though I'm not comparing Jimsy with him in any way"

"What's the matter with Smith?" grunted the captain

"Well, you would never think of him as a lover He's so old and unromantic Besides, his education's terribly defective"

"And he isn't rich," added her mother When Beth marries I hope it will be to a *gentleman* in the position to keep her as she ought to be kept."

"I wonder why Jimsy doesn't come around any more" said Beth "He hasn't been here since Christmas"

"He says he's too busy," observed Mrs Harris "Captain, you must be working him to death"

"Smith's a good man, a corking good man," replied the captain thoughtfully "He's doing more work than any three. There ain't no necessity that I know of for him to work all night, though, if that's what he's doing"

Emma appeared to be absolutely indifferent to the turn the conversation had taken though in truth she was listening greedily to Williams' encomiums

"D'you know," went on the captain, "I've often thought that a man like Smith would be just the right kind of a husband for Emma"

"Like Jimsy?" Mrs Harris laughed She did not know whether he was joking or not, but thought he was.

This time a sudden flush dyed Emma's cheeks and deepened over her face to the very ears No one noticed

"I'd settle half a million dollars' worth on her for a wedding present."

it, however, unless it was the captain, but when he was leaning forward with his hands between his knees, as he was then, his bushy eyebrows bent in thought, it was impossible to tell where he was looking

"That's what I said" he emphasized. "Take Smith himself, for the sake of argument. We're talking among ourselves, so it don't matter, as it won't go any further. Suppose Emma'd married him? Is his heart all right? Is he on the level? I'd bank on him, and that's more'n I'd say of any other man I know Is he capable? Brainy as they make 'em. Is he good looking? He ain't bad looking, and with that smile of his he has most good lookers I've seen beat a mile Beth says he ain't poetic and all that sort of thing Maybe—maybe, but what of that? Also she says he ain't what you'd call educated That may be, too, but when he wants to he can bring an amount of cold sense to bear that'll upset most men's logic and give a bluff no chance He'll go far if he keeps on, for all his slow ways, and let me tell you it ain't the man who starts off at top speed that always wins the race"

"What you say may be all true, but these qualities haven't made Jimsy rich so far, and I doubt if they ever will A man can't have everything, but money, as I've often told my girls, makes up for a lot of shortcomings, and without it—what? Here's Emma, married for seven years, separated from her husband, can't get a divorce unless it's of the Dakota sort, which I'd never consent to, hasn't got a cent in the world and couldn't collect a cent of alimony if she had the right to it because the beast's a pauper"

"No, and if he were as wealthy as the grand Turk I'd starve to death before I'd touch any money or anything else belonging to him," commented Emma

"Mrs Harris," answered the captain, with deep feeling, "money, while it's a whole lot, ain't everything, as I've found, though it's taken me sixty-five years to do it. It's no fault of Emma's that she's poor, and I tell you that if she was to marry a man like Smith I'd settle $500 000 worth of Latin-American line stock on her for a wedding present. I would, by Sam, ma'am!"

You would do that?" asked Mrs Harris, overwhelmed with astonishment.

This minute."

"Well!"

It was all she could find to say about the reiteration

But if the family were amazed Williams was evidently alarmed at having allowed his feelings to get the better of his discretion in this way, for he lapsed into gloomy silence and very soon departed abruptly.

CHAPTER XXIV.

"MR BROOKS would like to see you, sir. I told him you were in, but he would not come up and asked me to let you know he was downstairs"

"Tell him it's all right. I'll see him"

"You mean that he's to come up?"

"Yes, if he doesn't mind."

The landlady went out, gathering from the visitor's unusual request and her boarder's reply that there had been trouble between them Jimsy pushed away the book he had been reading and leaned back in his chair to await his former friend's coming.

Brooks shuffled rather than walked in He did not offer to shake hands, but, with a subdued "Hello, Jimsy," seated himself on the edge of the armchair that in former days he occupied as his own Then he seemed to forget where he was, sank back, shrinking into his overcoat, and sat as though stupefied, twisting his hat in his hands slowly and mechanically

Smith was shocked at the change in his appearance His face was white and thin, and the eyes, which were almost expressionless, were deep sunk in the sockets. There was stubble on his chin; his formerly neatly plastered hair was disheveled.

"Boy, you're ill," said Jimsy with concern. "Let me get a bracer for you"

He rose and produced a decanter of whisky, but his visitor declined this time with a wan flickering smile of appreciation

"No, thanks, Jimsy I don't feel like it just now I've been drinking too much of the stuff, and I haven't eaten since last night, I think."

"For heaven's sake!" exclaimed Jimsy

Brooks would have restrained him, but he was out of the door and bounding downstairs three steps at a time Brooks sank back into the chair and relapsed into his condition of hebetude

In a little while Smith returned, a plate heaped high with sandwiches in one hand and a bowl of hot bouillon in the other Brooks refused the sandwiches, but he took the bowl, and, holding it in both hands—which trembled—sipped its grateful contents

"Jimsy, you're awfully good," he sighed.

"Oh, no—none of that," protested Smith "Tell me what brought you here. What can I do for you?"

"I don't know why I came, after—after the way I acted last time I"—

"Never mind that. Let's forget about it."

"No, I have no right here Jimsy, I'm done for"

"How done for?"

"I am and you'll kick me out, as I deserve, when you know. Jimsy I've done it again I'm a thief a second time and again for a woman."

Smith looked grave, but he said nothing

"What' You don't get up and kick me? Well, well! I'suppose it's just like you, but I rather hoped you would. You're the only man who wouldn't. But wait till you hear I can tell it to you because you can't help me. Nobody can. I'm beyond helping"

"Better try a sandwich first," suggested Smith "There's no hurry"

"Thanks, I think I will. That beef tea did me good"

He ate three sandwiches ravenously, washing them down with water

"There isn't a whole lot to relate" he said "You can fill in the details for yourself I tried backing the ponies again then I stole from the bank There was an examination of the books at the bank four days ago I didn't turn up there that day, and I haven't been there since, but, of course, the game is up I wandered about, drinking to try to forget my troubles till all my money was gone Then I sobered up, and here I am This time there's no one to save me The bank couldn't be fixed, even if I had the funds to make my stealings good. They'd get me wherever I hid myself, that's sure They must be looking for me now And, O God I can't face it!"

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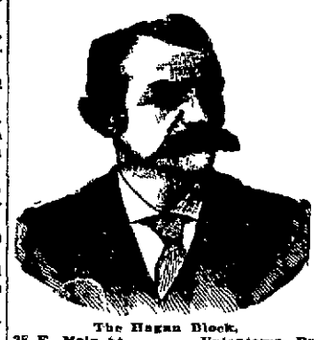

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They Won the First Game on Saturday but Dropped the Second Contest.

CANNON WAS IN GOOD FORM

In the Closing Session, an Abbreviated One, Brooks, Yoedt and Calhoun All Occupied the Slab and Engineers Had It Easy.

Other Games Saturday.

At Fairmont—
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King and Dailey, O'Dell and Gribben.

Scores Saturday.

Connellsville, 7; Grafton, 1.
*Grafton, 9; Connellsville, 0.
**Fairmont, 3, Uniontown, 2.
*5 innings.
**17 innings.

Games This Week.

Monday, Wednesday and Friday—Connellsville at Uniontown.
Grafton at Fairmont
Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday—Uniontown at Connellsville.
Fairmont at Grafton.

Club Standing.

	Cville.	Utown.	Fairm't.	Grafton.	Disbanded	Won.
Connellsville	x	2	8	9	0	—19
Uniontown	4	x	11	8	2	—25
Fairmont	8	4	x	2	1	—15
Grafton	6	5	8	x	1	—17
Disbanded Teams	0	0	0	0	1	—1
Lost	18	12	22	19	0	

Summary.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Uniontown	25	12	.676
CONNELLSVILLE	19	18	.514
Grafton	17	19	.472
Fairmont	15	22	.405
Disbanded Teams	1	0	

The Cokers returned from their West Virginia trip yesterday after having secured an even break in Saturday's double header with Grafton. The first game saw Brennan and D Raley badly bumped by the Coker hitters, Calhoun, Dunn and Myers being the stellar biffers.

The second game was more or less of a farce as Jones, the saliva slinger of the Engineers had the Cokers biting on his curves. Grafton did some heavy hitting and won with ease. The trip just closed is the first time the Cokers have visited West Virginia and left without an even break or better. They won three games and lost five, but were pursued by hard luck all the way through. The Uniontown series start today, weather permitting. The scores.

First Game.

CONNELLSVILLE	R.	B.	P.	A.	E.
Gilligan, 1b	0	2	8	1	0
Morgan, lf	0	1	0	0	0
Hagan, 3b	1	2	2	2	0
Calhoun, rf	1	1	1	1	0
Myers, ss	1	1	1	4	0
Dunn, 2b	1	2	4	1	1
C Francis, m	0	1	2	0	0
Fralley, c	1	1	1	1	0
Cannon, p	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	7	14	27	11	1

GRAFTON	R.	B.	P.	A.	E.
Rothermel 2b	0	0	0	2	0
R Raley rf	0	2	1	0	1
Briggar, 1b	0	0	7	1	1
Hinton, 3b	1	1	2	2	0
Gainer, lf	0	1	1	0	0
Ferguson m	0	0	1	0	0
Ball ss	0	1	1	1	1
Frankenberry c	0	0	1	2	0
Brennan p	0	0	2	1	0
D Raley, p	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	1	5	27	10	3

Connellsville 0 2 0 0 2 0 1 0 0—7
Grafton 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1

Three-base hit—Calhoun
Two-base hits—Walker, Dunn, Gilligan
Sacrifice hits—Calhoun, Dunn Cannon.
Left on bases—Grafton 3, Connellsville 5.
Hits apportioned—Off Brennan 9 in 7 innings, off Raley 5 in 2 innings
Struck out—By Brennan 2, by Cannon 3
Bases on balls—Off Brennan 1, off Cannon 1.
Time—1 35
Umpire—Weddige

Second Game.

CONNELLSVILLE.	R.	B.	P.	A.	E.
Gilligan, 1b	0	0	5	0	0
Gilligan, 1b-ss	0	0	5	0	0
Morgan, lf	0	0	0	1	0
Hagan 3b	0	1	0	1	0
Calhoun, rf-p	0	0	3	0	0
Myers, ss-rf	0	0	0	3	1
Dunn 2b	0	0	0	2	0
C Francis, m	0	0	1	1	0
Fralley, c	0	0	2	0	0
Yoedt p	0	0	0	1	0
Brooks p	0	0	0	0	1
Sweeney, 1b	0	0	1	0	0
I Francis	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	0	1	12	9	2

GRAFTON.	R.	B.	P.	A.	E.
Rothermel, 2b	2	0	2	0	0
R Raley, rf	1	1	0	0	0
Briggar, 1b	1	3	0	0	0
Hinton, 3b	1	2	0	1	0
Gainer, lf	0	1	0	0	0
Ferguson m	1	0	0	0	0
Ball, ss	1	0	1	1	0
Frankenberry, c	1	0	2	1	0
Jones, p	1	1	1	1	1
Totals	9	8	15	10	1

Connellsville 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Grafton 1 0 0 0 0 x—9

Three base hit—Briggar
Two base hits—Hinton, Jones, Briggar, Gainer
Sacrifice hits—R Raley.
Stolen bases—Rothermel
Left on bases—Grafton 4, Connellsville 3.
Hits apportioned—Off Yoedt 2 in 1 inning off Brooks 4 in 2½ innings, off Calhoun 2 in 2-1 innings.
Struck out—By Jones 2.
Bases on balls—Off Jones 2, off Yoedt 1 off Brooks 4.
Time—1 00
Umpire—Weddige.

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BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Saturday.

Philadelphia, 2; Pittsburg, 1.
New York, 5; Chicago, 2.
Cincinnati, 1; Boston, 0.
St. Louis, 4; Brooklyn, 2.

Sunday.

At St. Louis—		R	H	E
Brooklyn	400011003	9	13	1
St. Louis	100002000	3	3	2

Rucker and Marshall; Sallee, Harmon and Bliss and Blank.

Second game—		R	H	E
St. Louis	00001641*	6	10	2
Brooklyn	200000004	2	7	2

Lush and Bliss; Scanlon, Wilhelm and Bergen.

At Cincinnati—		R	H	E
Cincinnati	00030400*	7	13	1
Boston	00020000	2	4	5

Fromme and McLean and Roth; Brown, Richie and Shaw.

Second game—		R	H	E
Cincinnati	10002000*	3	7	1
Boston	00000100	1	5	1

Rowan and McLean and Roth; White and Shaw.

At Chicago—		R	H	E
Chicago	00440001*	9	11	0
New York	00000000	0	4	3

Brown and Needham; Crandall and Meyers and Wilson.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	73	29	.716
Chicago	62	35	.660
New York	61	36	.616
Cincinnati	53	50	.515
Philadelphia	47	55	.461
St. Louis	43	57	.430
Brooklyn	37	65	.363
Boston	26	79	.248

Game Today.
New York at Pittsburg.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Saturday.

Boston, 3; Cleveland 1.
Chicago, 7; New York, 3.
Washington, 8; Detroit, 3.
Philadelphia, 2;: St Louis, 1.

Sunday.

At Detroit—		R	H	E
Detroit	22010030*	8	12	3
Chicago	100000000	1	4	1

Killian and Beckendorf, Burns, Fiene and Owens

Standing of the Clubs.

	W	L	Pct
Philadelphia	64	41	610
Detroit	64	41	610
Boston	61	44	581
Cleveland	51	53	500
Chicago	50	55	476
New York	49	57	471
St. Louis	45	57	441
Washington	31	74	295

Games Today.
Chicago at Detroit
St. Louis at Cleveland
Boston at New York
Philadelphia at Washington.

Smallwood Defeats St. Yves.

Cincinnati, Aug 16.—Over a course made slow by a heavy rain, Percy Smallwood, the short distance runner, defeated St. Yves, the long distance champion, in a twelve-mile race on turf, by two and one half laps

DUNBAR WON.

Masontown Walloped in Championship of Coke Region Contest.

Dunbar won the championship of the Coke Region by defeating Masontown at Cycle park Saturday The game was well played but Dunbar had the best of it all the way through

Ringer pitched good ball and was given good support Sheets was also supported well by the Mastown team. The score.

Masontown 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1 6 1
Dunbar .. 1 0 0 0 0 2 2 1 x—6 8 2

Sheets and Hewett, Ringer and Williams.

BLUNDER COSTS 8 LIVES

Trains Collide Near Colorado Springs. Fifty Injured

Colorado Springs Col., Aug 16.—Eight are dead and fifty injured, some fatally, as a result of a head on collision between two Denver and Rio Grande passenger trains at Husted, thirteen miles from Colorado Springs

The dead Frank M Frederick, St Louis, C. S Brown, Jerrico Springs, Mo; B F. Larkons, Colorado Springs, Col; J K Parker, Denver, J. R Parker, Chicago, two unidentified men

The trains, both running at terrific speed, met on a curve and their crews had no opportunity to avert the collision. It is said the officials of the railroad place the blame upon the crew of train No 8, who were ordered to meet No. 1 at Husted. The crew mistook a switch engine and cars for No. 1 and believed the track was clear.

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Bridges are "Destroyed" by Forces Protecting Boston.

MIMIC WAR IS ON IN EARNEST

Invaders Are Now Compelled to Use Their Own Resources in Crossing Streams on Their March to Capture the Hub.

Boston, Aug. 16.—A bridge destroying expedition to hamper the movements of the army of the Red and the capture of a private of the invading army were the most warlike features in the work of the army of the Blue, in camp near Bridgewater, defending Boston from an attack from the south by the Red army in the mimic war game The original plans for a strenuous Sunday, which had been laid by Governor Eben S Draper and Brigadier General William A. Pew were of no avail because of the postponement of hostilities.

Every regimental headquarters, however, has received marching orders and the indications pointed to a general advance The lighter side of "war" was pictured in the camp near Bridgewater with the initiation of the recruits and the entertainment of thousands of visitors There were several band concerts and religious services at each regimental headquarters

The first real move of the army of the Blue was taken early in the day when two battalions of the Eighth infantry under Major Graves were sent to destroy the important bridges along the Assonet, Taunton and Minnetuxet rivers. The detachment returned tired and dusty and reported their work well done.

The Red army when it advances will be thrown on its own resources in crossing the several streams that lie between it and Boston Accompanied by several of the referees the detachment upon coming to a bridge would place under it packages supposed to contain enough dynamite to destroy the structure. Then a giant firecracker was exploded and a placard was placed on the bridge announcing that it had been destroyed

Major Graves' men caught the first glimpse of the invaders at the Berkely bridge on the west side of the Taunton river The men of the Blue had just "destroyed" the structure when a detachment of Red cavalry clattered up on the opposite bank of the river There was no clash between the two forces however, and it is believed that the cavalry was merely one of the enemy's scouting detachments sent out to "feel" the position of the Blue army

DESIGN OF WOMAN

Accepted by South For Monument to Women of "Lost Cause"

Atlanta, Ga., Aug 16.—A design for a monument to the women of the "lost cause" is completed It is the work of Miss Belle Kinney of Nashville, Tenn., twenty-two years old and has been accepted by several states It is probable that all the states which left the Union in the civil war will adopt the design and that replicas of the monument will be placed in the capitols of each state

The central figure of the monument is of heroic size emblematic of the "Goddess of Fame" At her right a reclining figure, with an expression of sadness represents the self sacrificing southern woman of the war times Fame is represented as placing a wreath on the woman's head, while she supports at her left a dying and emaciated Confederate soldier, to whom the southern woman is extending the palm of victory in death The design lends itself to reproduction in either marble or bronze

AFFECTED BY HEAT

Well to Do Illinois Farmer Slashes His Wife With Razor

Bloomington Ill Aug 16.—Believed to have been driven insane by the intense heat, John Busby, a well to do farmer of northeastern McLean county, killed his wife, cutting her throat and slashing her body with a razor

Three of their children, who witnessed the crime fled in time to save their lives Busby took refuge in a barn where he was later captured by a posse

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